

For 24 hours ending 8 p.m., Tuesday:
Vancouver and vicinity—Moderate to fresh
south and west winds, partly cloudy and
mild, with showers.

FALSE DOCUMENTS USED BY GAUTHIER IN BLACKMAILING MANSON TELLS COMMISSION

Vancouver Liberal Worker Paid \$5,000 to Ward Off Election Eve Rorback; Premier Oliver Thought So Little of Matter That He Supplied Mrs. Gauthier With Name of Conservative Leader When She Threatened to Seek Tory Aid for Investigation

After examining Gauthier's claims for money alleged to be due through liquor deals, Premier John Oliver thought so little of them that he not only flatly refused to move, but supplied Mrs. Gauthier, who made the application, with the name and address of R. H. Pooley as Leader of the Conservative Party, should she decide to carry out her threat of appealing to Conservatives to demand an investigation.

This fact was brought out by a letter read at the resumed hearing of Mr. Justice Morrison's commission investigating the Gauthier implications this morning.

Gauthier's collection of \$2,000 from W. T. McArthur, Liberal worker of Vancouver, was branded by Attorney-General Manson as blackmail on the strength of documents, some of which were false, on the eve of an election. Had he been consulted he would have been against the payment, but these Rockwell claims were sometimes met in politics, especially on the eve of an election, to ward off a roof-back, he said.

Some sensation was caused in court when George H. Cowan, counsel for the Conservatives, demanded to know which documents were false.

The letter to Senator Bostock referred to in the proceedings was a purloined document, the Attorney-General rapped back. He would prove it, he asserted, and assured Mr. Cowan that at the proper time it would be produced.

John D. Zimmerman, assistant commissioner of immigration at the Port of Seattle, identified a citizen's identification card in the name of Mr. Gauthier issued to persons who had reason to go to and from Canada and the United States on business. He had known Mr. Gauthier for seven years in Vancouver B.C. and the last year in Seattle.

"Were you approached by any one to secure the deportation of Mr. Gauthier?" asked Mr. Cowan.

Witness—"Yes, by a lawyer named Vanderveer on April 21."

Witness proceeded, he was shown copies of an affidavit and papers relating to the Gauthier charges in the U.S. Legislature.

Objections to lines of questioning being raised by Mr. Fauteux and Mr. MacLean, the commissioner remarked that if Mr. Cowan were doing so for some ulterior motive he was doing something very grave and something no counsel should do. He asked Mr. Counsel if he would say for what reason the questions were being asked.

Mr. Cowan replied that he wished to secure corroborative evidence that Mr. Gauthier was threatened that his deportation from Seattle would be

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LARGE AREAS IN NORTH LOUISIANA FLOODED BY RIVER

Waters of Mississippi Pour Through Four Breaks in the Levees

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DISORGANIZATION IN SOUTH CHINESE ARMIES REPORTED
7,000 Men of Sixth Army Disarmed on Order of Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek

New Orleans, La., May 2.—The ery for men was heard to-day as flood waters of the Mississippi coursed through four breaks in the barriers protecting New Orleans. Levees stretching to Shreveport, La., on the east to Vicksburg, Miss., on the west, the loosened waters taper down to a mere mile of racing torrent where the Red, Atchafalaya and the Mississippi form a junction near Baton Rouge. Hundreds of persons in Concord, Ayer, Catahoula and Tensas parishes were engaged in the waters from the new breaks opposite the Natches rose about them.

LEVEES STRENGTHENED
The breaks through which the waters poured yesterday were believed by engineers to have insured the safety of the levees between Natches and the mouth of the Red River, but the situation was threatening between Vicksburg and Natches and south of the Red River. There men fought to raise and strengthen the levees to meet the joined flow of the two streams.

READY TO MOVE OUT
Because of a breached crevassine in the Red levee, engineers were sent through the lowlands of Barataria Glaises to drive all the cattle out and to have the women and children ready for immediate removal. While many residents had left the district, others were determined to face the impending rise as long as possible.

The Mississippi was continuing to rise at Vicksburg to-day. Hundreds of men were gathered on the levees. Four men were reported drowned when a boat capsized in the upper north of the river, increasing the known casualties to more than 100.

LEVEL UNCHANGED
New Orleans trusted her safety to the artificial levee at Poldra, below that city. Engineers reported the breach had held the river level stationary during the last twenty-four hours and that they expected it to take care of additional water to-day.

CONVENTION SECRETARY NAMED

Ottawa, May 2.—Harold M. Daly of Ottawa has been appointed temporary secretary to the executive committee in charge of preparations for the national Conservative convention to be held in Winnipeg October 11.

"MISS VICTORIA" 1927



Miss Woodman Wins "Miss Victoria" Title; Sidney Girl Second

Former Cranbrook Beauty Will Represent This City at Western Canada Finals

Miss Madeleine Woodman, former Cranbrook, B.C., girl, is "Miss Victoria" for 1927.

She was declared elected at noon to-day, when the count of the votes polled during last week was completed, showing the mountain skiing and swimming beauty in the lead with a remarkable plurality.

She will leave Victoria on Friday to represent this city in the Western Canadian beauty contest to be staged in Vancouver, commencing Saturday.

Nearly two dozen prize beauties of the chief cities west of the Great Lakes are now on their way to Vancouver to compete for the title of "Miss Canada," who will be one of the two Canadian girls to represent this country at the international beauty finals at Galveston at the end of May, when the most beautiful girls from twelve foreign countries will compete with the pretties of Canada for the title of "Miss Canada" in the beauty championship of the world.

Miss Phyllis McMillan, known as "Miss Sidney," the champion beauty of the Saanich district, came second in the "Miss Victoria" race, while Miss Kathryn McLaren, the Victoria native daughter, came third.

The final count of votes stands as follows:

Miss Madeleine Woodman, No. 3	3,469
Miss Phyllis McMillan, No. 1	1,514
Miss Kathryn McLaren, No. 1	889
Miss Madeleine Burke, No. 5	365
Miss Marjorie Wright, No. 11	319
Miss Gertrude Frayne, No. 12	218
Miss Constance Park, No. 4	147
Miss Mme. Ruddock, No. 7	147
Miss Joan Wright, No. 9	147
Miss Katharine Albany, No. 2	137
Miss Edna Sangster, No. 13	128
Miss Edna May Parkes, No. 8	100
Miss Gertrude Frayne, No. 6	87
Miss Margarette Warner (retired first day through illness)	6

Total votes polled 7,931

Saturday's voting was by far the heaviest of the week. Miss Woodman, with the largest day, polling 887 votes. During the other days of the week from Monday on she had polled 374, 444, 662, 555, 497. Altogether she polled nearly one-half of the total number of votes polled.

Contracts for the Bungalow Court group to be built to the order of Charles Walkden at Prospect Place, Oak Bay, at an estimated cost in the neighborhood of \$25,000, have been awarded. It is understood H. L. Lengert is the general contractor with the Dominion Plumbing Company and Herbert Clarke the successful tenders on plumbing and electrical work.

The bungalows, five in number, will be of hollow tile, stuccoed, and roofed with Sidney Roofing and Paper Company's shingles.

The walls will be ranged in a cross-stitch. Two will be of Norman, and three of English design. The patio or walled court at the entrance will be floored with red cedar-blocked out in squares.

K. B. Sprung and L. Graham Johnson, architects, are associated on the project.

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From the Esquimalt Municipal Hall, the first fire-engine to arrive on the scene added its hose to the defense line thrown out against the flames. Meanwhile two alarms had sounded at city headquarters, and the order was given for the Victoria West engine to attend the fire.

Detonate Fire Chief Munroe sped to Work Point and took charge of the fight.

INTENSE HEAT

The roof of the building, under which the fire had its foundation, was of fireproof material and through this the flames did not eat. But work was the more difficult for the men engaged since the lack of outlet sent the flames whirling downwards and made the heat terrible.

Victoria firemen, led by the deputy chief, trained hose lines on the heat of the fire and cut a way through on one side to better attack the main blaze and keep it from spreading.

Great volumes of smoke poured from the windows of the structure as it cracked those within as they labored.

By 5 o'clock the Victoria apparatus had done all it could to smother the outbreak and left the last details to the Esquimalt men and garrison troops to attend to.

WATER DAMAGES

There was small damage to the building by fire, for the efforts of the men prevented its spread, but the great quantity of water which was poured upon the flames flooded a great part of the middle portion of the building, above the officers' mess room, and apartments adjoining. It was impossible to estimate the damage to-day, said Chief of Police Acreman of Esquimalt in the municipality.

REGISTERED IN PANAMA

The steamer was seized while sailing for Panama from British Columbia under Panama registry, under the theory that the vessel had been engaged in habitual smuggling and had therefore lost its right of protection under the flag of the Republic of Panama. From the moment the vessel attempted to seize the steamer, the Federal government of the United States, it is understood. Such a procedure would eliminate duplication of premises and to a certain extent duplication of office staffs.

ADVERTISING PLANS

Mr. Malcolm has already received information that the allocation of \$100,000 for advertising Canadian goods in Great Britain will not go very far in making a widespread appeal.

It is understood one suggestion meeting favor is that when big English concerns take a large space for general advertisement, Canada should pay a proportion of the cost for whatever amount of space calls attention specially to Canadian goods.

TO MAKE REPAIRS

The announcement to-day indicated this point had been compromised. It is understood that the vessel would remain a broken water pipe in the seized vessel and make other repairs to put the Federal ship in as good shape as at the time of seizure.

Attorneys for the owners said they did not know what port the Federal ship would head for. They likewise professed ignorance of plans to repair the vessel for the return of the vessel on the high seas, saying the treaty between the United States and Panama provided a commission should be appointed to decide damages in such cases.

COMMUNIST LEADERS PROTEST EXECUTIONS IN CITY OF PEKING

The London Daily News, hazarding the same conjectures, adds:

"Sir Charles Madden typifies the best type of sea officer, to whom personal interests are quite secondary considerations."

In other quarters the selection of Madden, while something of a surprise, meets with entire approval, and it is deemed certain it will be highly popular in the navy.

NEW STEAMSHIP SERVICE

Moscow, May 2.—The Third (Moscow) Communist International has issued a manifesto protesting against the execution by shooting of Chinese Communists in Peking.

The manifesto calls on the toilers of the world to intensify their campaign in protest against "these new acts of violence perpetrated by imperialists and militarists on the workers of China."

RUBBER EXPORTS OF MALAYA CUT

At the last session of Parliament authority was given for the establishment of a Canadian National Railways of an improved steamship service.

The manifesto, which follows, brings the trade agreement into effect says the preferential rate on bananas granted by Canada will not come into force until the steamship service is established.

TIMES TELEPHONES

Advertising Department	1095
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Editorial Department	5724
Circ. Editor	1261

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LABOR BILL IN BRITISH HOUSE CAUSE OF TILTS

Attorney-General Hogg Suffers Many Interruptions From Labor Benches When Moving Second Reading of Measure to Prevent General Strikes in Great Britain; Cheers and Counter-cheers in Chamber; Rejection of Measure Moved by J. R. Clynes

London, May 2.—Sir Douglas Hogg, the Attorney-General, moved second reading of the Government's Trade Union Bill, designed to prevent coercive strikes, in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Five minutes after he had begun speaking he was being interrupted by broadsides of angry cries of protest from the Labor benches.

He said the Government was prepared to consider amendments to remove ambiguities or defects in the bill, but he threw down the gauntlet to the Laborites by declaring the Government would resist to the uttermost any attempts designed to defeat the main principles of the measure.

He was received with cynical cheers.

It was evident to the crowded galleries that the situation was full of dynamite. A reference by the Attorney-General to the "illegality" of last year's general strike brought J. H. Thomas, veteran railwayman's leader, to his feet in protest and raised a hurricane among the Laborites.

SPEAKER INTERVENED

Twice at the outset the Speaker of the House intervened to restore quiet once reprimanding William Thorne, Labor member for West Ham, who declared the Attorney-General had been "telling a lot of lies" throughout his speech.

The storm subsided, however, and Sir Douglas continued. As he proceeded heckling by individuals was replaced by mass cheering and counter-cheering, the speaker, which the Laborite, Jack Jones, famous for his caustic humor, kept us a running fire of remarks.

Among the principles of the bill Sir Douglas Hogg said, were:

"A general strike is illegal and no man shall be penalized for refusing to take part in one."

"Information is illegal, and no man shall be penalized by threats, to abstain from working against his will."

"No man shall be compelled to subscribe to the funds of any political party unless he so desires."

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MOVES REJECTION OF LABOR BILL IN BRITISH COMMONS



FIRE THREATENS OFFICERS' MESS AT WORK POINT

Soldiers and Firemen Smother Blaze After Three Hours of Hard Fighting

Fire which broke out in the officers' quarters of Work Point Barracks at about 3:20 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, threatened to destroy the entire quarters of the families in residence and the officers' mess until firemen and soldiers subdued the flames after three hours of fighting under intense heat.

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CANADA TO SEND MAPLE TREES AS AUSTRALIAN GIFT

Vancouver Island Forests to Provide Canadian Feature at Canberra

Lapointe Will Plant Young Trees as Emblem of Canadian Kinship

Maple trees now growing in the woods of Vancouver Island will form Canada's gift to the Australian people when they open their new national capital at Canberra this year.

Under plans outlined by the Canadian Government, Premier Oliver is arranging for the shipment of a dozen Island maples to Australia immediately. The trees will be planted in the grounds of the Canberra Parliament Buildings as a permanent token of Canada's feelings of kinship for its sister dominion.

LAPOINTE TO OFFICIATE

Hon. John R. Green, Canadian Minister of Justice, who is in Australia now to represent Canada at the Canberra opening ceremonies, will formally plant the maples during his present visit.

Special precautions will be taken to insure the safe arrival of the trees after their long voyage across the ocean. They will be packed carefully and kept cool during the trip through the tropics. Selected trees for the purpose will be dug in the woods of the Island immediately. As the native maple is easy to transplant no serious difficulty in the shipment is anticipated.

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Asked what was decided upon as a result of Vanderveer's representations, witness said no decision had yet been reached.

Mr. Gauthier was then recalled. He was questioned on a cable which he desecrated. The word conflicted was previously used but witness said there was no such word in the code. He believed it should read.

"Snow paid commission last week and money sent to Seattle. Am in awkward position if order not confirmed by cable."

"Did you instruct any other solicitor to write to Senator Bostock?" asked Mr. Cowan.

"Yes, Mr. John R. Green," replied witness.

A letter dated April 29, 1926 was produced.

Mr. Farris had not seen the letter and the commission interpreted that it would suffice if counsel would agree to it.

Mr. Cowan presented what he referred to be a copy of a letter written from John R. Green to Senator Bostock, but witness said he could not identify it.

Mr. Cowan pointed out Senator Bostock had the original.

The commissioner asked if Senator Bostock's letter could not be secured or Mr. John R. Green could not be called.

J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., Government counsel, submitted that the letter had no relation to the inquiry.

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"Candidly," continued Mr. Manson, "I doubt Gauthier would have shown up unless he was well paid, and I think Mr. Twiss has paid him."

Mr. Twiss was immediately upon his feet. "I would like to assure the Court Mr. Gauthier or Mrs. Gauthier were never paid money by me or by anybody I know."

Counsel was chided by the Commission for a line of questioning which involved a friend.

He had no right to test the credibility of this witness," said Mr. Cowan. "Mr. Manson was questioned closely by counsel as to whether the purchasing agent before he left for the Old Country left an order for 2,500 cases of Dawson's whisky. Mr. Cowan mentioned that he received the information from Fred Carlow. Witness said he had no recollection of such an order."

He also said he could remember no conversation with Carlow regarding Queen Anne whisky.

Mr. Manson said he had no personal knowledge of the payment of \$5,000 by W. T. McArthur to Mr. Gauthier.

"Do you approve of the payment of \$5,000 by McArthur to Gauthier?" asked Mr. Cowan.

"That is a matter of personal opinion."

"Would not pay it. I would regard it as blackmail."

"Was McArthur justified?" asked Mr. Cowan. "That is a matter of opinion," replied Mr. Manson.

Mr. Cowan recalled Mr. Manson's previous remarks on the point that he did not know it he thought a bit the less of McArthur for paying Gauthier \$5,000 to keep him quiet on the basis of election though his accusations were false.

Mr. Manson replied that sometimes in politics this cause arose. To prevent a rumpus it was sometimes necessary to pay money where it was not due. Gauthier appeared with documents, some of which were false, and he used to take action which would possibly do harm to the party at election time.

Immediately Mr. Cowan demanded to know what documents were false.

Mr. Manson declared to answer from memory. Mr. Cowan pressed him upon the point and took a file of documents to the witness stand.

Mr. Manson was preparing to single out documents when the commissioner suggested that the witness make his selection during the luncheon recess.

Mr. Cowan came back to the payment of \$5,000 by W. T. McArthur to Gauthier.

"As Attorney-General and chief law enforcement officer in British Columbia, do you think Mr. McArthur was justified on the eve of an election in paying Gauthier \$5,000 black-mail?" asked Mr. Cowan.

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MAY DAY WAS OBSERVED IN HANKOW

Hankow, May 2.—The May Day celebration passed quietly here.

Peking, May 2.—The police here prohibited the holding of May Day demonstrations.

"How did you recognize him?"

"By my umbrella."

BABY LOST LIFE

Brighton, Eng., May 2.—When a motorcycle, in the side car of which she was lying, moved down an incline and dropped 200 yards over a cliff at Rottingside, near here, a young baby was instantly killed Saturday. The parents, whose name is Youall, had left the infant in the sidecar with its bottle while they rested on the grass.

ROTARIANS HEAR ADDRESS BY PREMIER

King Tells Delegates in
Ottawa, Canada to Have
Great Development

Ottawa, May 2.—The absence of armament among the United States, Canadian and British has not been a cause of concern to Canadians, but the reason for an absence of concern, Premier King told *delegates* to the annual conference of the Twenty-eighth District of International Rotarians at the monster banquet which brought the conference to a close last Saturday night.

Premier King asserted goodwill was possibly the greatest asset a group of countries could possess. Peace was simply international goodwill and the fostering of good-will more was the great service that gatherings such as the international conference he was addressing could perform.

Premier King said Canadians would celebrate during this year the sixtieth anniversary of Confederation and would view with pride the achievements of the past and the efforts for the future. He doubted if ever before in the history of the world opportunities in any section of the world were comparable with those that Canada afforded.

LAPONTE VISITOR IN CITY OF SYDNEY

Minister Tells Australians
Trade Treaty With Canada
Is Success

Sydney, Australia, May 2.—There is no likelihood of Canada ever returning to the open saloon or the bar trade, in a law-breaking order, in Australia, New Zealand and the Canadian Press, whose board of directors is meeting to-day and will again to-morrow with a general meeting of the members on Wednesday, will close with the election of officers for the coming year.

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NEWSPAPER LEADERS MEET IN TORONTO

Annual Meetings of Canadian
Press and Canadian Daily
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VISCOUNT COWDRAY DIED IN SCOTLAND

Oil and Industrial Magnate of
Great Britain Was in Seventy-
second Year

Aberdeen, May 2.—Viscount Cowdray, oil and industrial magnate of Great Britain and for a period during the World War chairman of the British Air Board, died at his Scottish residence, Dunecht House, yesterday, aged seventy-two years.

Viscount Cowdray, better known to the business world as Westman Dickinson Pearson, was one of the world's greatest oil kings. He and Edward L. Doheny were the pioneers in opening up the Mexican oil fields, about which Mexico's present international squabbles turns.

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feeble will many times save commercial mortality and help to cut down the bad debt waste.

Fortunately there need be no alarm as to the failure record in the immediate future, but all over the country there are many of the old-time merchants who just cannot adapt themselves to modern methods and by failing to do so must inevitably be driven out of business.

NEW PRAYERBOOK APPROVED

Manchester, Eng., May 2 (Canadian Press Cable).—The diocese of Blackburn yesterday approved the new Church of England prayerbook. Although there was a strong lay minority in the ballots, the result is interesting, as it is the annual meeting of the B.C. division of that body, held in the Hotel Vancouver.

Business mortality last year, however, was larger numerically, but a considerably smaller sum of money was involved, indicating an improved business condition in British Columbia.

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TWO VANCOUVER MEN FELL AND LOST LIVES

Other Deaths in That City
Included One in an Auto
Accident

Vancouver, May 2.—Five deaths under tragic circumstances marked the passing of the week-end in Vancouver. In two instances the deaths were due to natural causes.

R. Merritt, 6,994, Chester Street, South Vancouver, was fatally hurt in an auto accident.

Alfred Wright, 2123½ Venables Street, was fatally hurt when he fell into a ship's hold.

Frederick Cox, 1717 Seventh Avenue

East was found dead after a fall to the outer freight deck on Pier D.

Charles Maxwell, City Hotel was found dead from natural causes in a room.

Margaret Sarnie, 4,726 Belmont Avenue, Point Grey, collapsed on a street and died a few minutes later.

Alleged to have been struck by a car in the middle of a cripole, John Polny, 41, was taken to the Manitoba Rooms, was taken to the hospital in an ambulance last evening suffering from an injured shoulder. Police are investigating the alleged assault.

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QUIETLY IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, May 2.—May Day in Shanghai was the quietest in many years. The only activity was a demonstration organized by non-communist unions outside the settlements and only 5,000 persons attended that a small number indeed compared with previous gatherings which sometimes reached 100,000. The falling off is regarded as solidly behind Chiang Kai-Shek, commander-in-chief of the Cantonese army, who recently set up a new government at Nanking.

Quo Tai-Chi, local commissioner of foreign affairs, addressed the meeting, denouncing those he described as British imperialists.

A resolution was adopted that a protest should be sent to the British Labor Party complaining of the presence of British troops in China.

VIOLENT DEATHS IN EASTERN CANADA

Ottawa, May 2.—Five fatalities were reported in Eastern Canada yesterday, a number of which were due to automobile accidents.

The most serious was caused in a level crossing smash near Windsor, Ontario, when a truck was hit by a train. J. J. McDonald, sixty-two, was fatally injured and R. Burleigh, thirty-four, the driver, was slightly hurt.

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GOOD BUSINESS

IT IS SATISFACTORY TO LEARN THAT
all attendance records at the Home Products
Fair were broken last week.We may take this as evidence that the people of
this community are beginning to realize what they can
do as individuals towards increasing the industrialpayrolls of the city. No doubt many who visited
the Armories last week had their eyes opened. We
venture to suggest that not many knew that so many
things were turned out of Victoria's factories until
they saw them on display at the Fair.Would it not be a good stroke of business if a
permanent show-case containing a sample of every
locally-manufactured article were to be set up at a
central point in this city? It is not enough to show
our wares to our own people once a year and ex-
pect them to remember how many imported articles
they could do without by purchasing the local pro-
duct. But a steady "dist" of it would impress itself
upon the public mind and the benefit soon would be
reflected in an increased demand.We repeat that the consumer can do more
towards increasing the industrial payroll of this com-
munity than he often realizes.

A HAZARDOUS JOB

NINETY-ONE MEN ARE BELIEVED TO
have lost their lives in a terrific explosion which
occurred in a coal mine at Fairmont, W. Va., during
the week end.People often grow impatient at the suggestion
of a strike of coal miners. They say the miner is al-
ways kicking about something; it is either more
money he wants, or better working conditions, or
both, they tell us. How many pause to consider
just what sort of a life the miner actually leads. He
leaves the fresh air and daylight in the morning and
goes into the bowels of the earth to work. In many
of the older mines he works on his back; seldom can
he reckon upon any conditions approaching the com-
fortable. On top of it all he is always exposed to
the effects of Nature's queer moods. He may be
poisoned by foul gas. An explosion such as that at
Fairmont on Saturday may finish him outright or leave
him to linger for hours in agony. There are a hun-
dred and one things which he knows might happen
to put an end to his life. If any of these intervene,
he has a very slender chance to defend himself.It is putting it mildly to say that the calling of
the coal miner is the most dangerous in the catalogue
of labor. On this account, apart altogether from his
right to a standard of living at least equal to that
enjoyed by those employed in other walks of life,
judgment on his demands never should be hastily
given.The Fairmont tragedy, incidentally, is another
reminder that scarcely a week passes in which lives
are not snuffed out by explosions in coal mines on this
continent.

AN IMPORTANT GATHERING

FOR SIX WEEKS FROM AUGUST 22 ON-
wards the Dominion will be host to the British
Empire Mining and Metallurgical Congress at its
second triennial meeting. Mining experts from all
over the Empire will attend the gathering and de-
legates just made public indicate that at least seven
hundred delegates have signified their intention to be
present.The convening of this important and far-flung
body in Canada is a signal honor for the Dominion
and a remarkable tribute to its high standing as a
mineral producer, while it is fraught with consider-
able significance to the future development of the
mining industry of this country. It can be assumed
that it will be the aim of the Dominion and provin-
cial governments, as well as mining bodies, to see that
the delegates carry away with them the most ade-
quate views on Canadian mineral resources, their pre-
sent state of exploitation, and their possibilities of
future development. Every opportunity will be given
to them to form their own estimates and draw their
own conclusions. Meetings have been arranged at
all the centres of mining activity in the Dominion
from the Atlantic to the Pacific coasts. In fact the
gathering as now arranged for should be a complete
education on Canadian mining and its possibilities from
which—having regard to the standing of the delegates
and the eminence they occupy in their profession—the
country should receive a corresponding benefit.It is an appropriate time for a gathering of this
kind to be held in Canada. Our mining industry is
receiving more attention at the present time than ever
before. And it should be noted that it is the third
largest contributor to Dominion revenue, following
agriculture and forestry. Last year a new high record
of production was reached when the output was
valued at \$242,886,000. This remarkable growthis disclosed in a survey which reveals that this figure
is thirty-seven per cent. greater than that of the out-
put value of 1916; 206 per cent. greater than that of
1906; and 832 per cent. greater than that of 1896. It is estimated that in 1926 Canadian mining
camps paid approximately \$210,000,000 in salaries and supplies.Recent figures compiled by the Federal Bureau
of Statistics show the investments in Canadian mines
to amount to approximately \$632,444,000. Of this
amount, as shown by an analysis made some time
ago, \$235,000,000 is United States capital, \$100,
000,000 Old Country capital, and \$19,000,000 in
from other foreign countries. In the case of this
Province, however, seventy-six per cent. of the money
invested in our copper mines comes from the United
States, fourteen per cent. is Canadian capital, and the
rest British. But in lead and zinc investments the
figures are practically reversed; seventy per cent. is
Canadian money and the rest United StatesIt is hoped by the Canadian Institute—which is
the convening body in charge of the arrangements
for the Congress—that one result of the gathering
will be a much more practical interest in the mining
industry of this country by Old Country investors. So
far British capital has not been coming as it should
have come. This is due, competent authorities point
out, to the lack of knowledge about our mineral re-
sources and failure to appreciate their value and pos-
sibilities. If the Congress corrects this condition it
should mean that British money will soon be earning
more dividends in this country.

NOTHING THE MATTER WITH YOUTH

FREQUENTLY IT HAS BEEN SAID
that the modern boy and girl are not following in
the footsteps of the boy and girl of the mid-Victorian
era, that youth to-day is wayward, indifferent to con-
vention, and generally going to the bow-wows.No sympathetic thinker would seriously make
such a charge. It is only necessary to examine the
activities of the student bodies of this continent, to
remember such organizations as the Boys' Parliament,
and the general effort which youth is making to
qualify for its place in the affairs of the world, to
realize that it is only the changed general conditions,
the newer outlook in 1927 as compared with 1877,
that put youth in a rather different light.If proof is desired in support of this contention,
however, the attitude of 36,000 students in 100
widely-distributed colleges in the United States, to-
gether with that of 250,000 newspaper readers,
would appear to furnish it. The following questions
and answers, by percentages, representative of eighty-
seven per cent. of the students appealed to and
eighty-five per cent. of the newspaper readers are in-
formative:Do you believe in God? Students, 98; newspaper
readers, 82.Do you believe in immortality? Students, 90;
newspaper readers, 88.Do you believe in prayer as a means of personal
relationship with God? Students, 90; newspaper
readers, 85.Do you believe that Jesus Christ was divine as no
other man was divine? Students, 89; newspaper
readers, 82.Do you regard the Bible as inspired in a sense that
no other literature could be said to be inspired? Stu-
dents, 82; newspaper readers, 82.Are you an active member of any church? Stu-
dents, 78; newspaper readers, 77.Do you regularly attend any religious service? Stu-
dents, 75; newspaper readers, 76.Were you brought up in a religious home? Stu-
dents, 65; newspaper readers, 67.Do you think that religion in some form is a necessary
element of life for the individual and for the
community? Students, 98; newspaper readers, 87.There does not appear to be any evidence here of
what has been termed the wildness of youth. The
one conclusion which may be drawn from the experi-
ence is that as far as the youth of the United States
is concerned, as The Brooklyn Eagle quite properly
points out, "that traditional religion is still so strong
in America" that nobody can afford to assail it "save
in the respectful spirit of the seeker after truth."

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

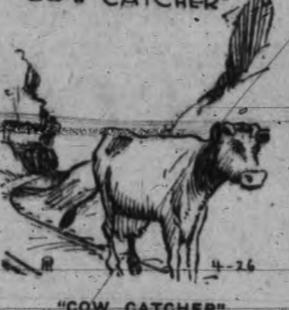
HALTING CRIME
From The Los Angeles TimesNewton D. Baker, who was Wilson's Secretary of
War, told the National Crime Commission that we
must drop the business of making the world safe for
democracy and take up the more important matter of
making our own cities safe for those who live in them.
It is necessary to organise public opinion to overcome
the prevailing apathy concerning crime conditions and
to rebuke the maudlin sympathy that extends to mur-
ders. There must be more regard for the victim and less
for the criminal and there must be substantial
backing for the officers of the law and the judges and
courts provided to enforce that law. Our disarmament
should begin in the individual. These words are not
new, but they should be given full force and effect.

Queer Quirks of Nature

By ARTHUR N. PACK

One of the first secrets the white men in America
learned from the Indians was that a certain tree grew
in the forest from the sap of which a most delicious
syrup and sugar could be made. This was the hard,
or sugar, maple.Among the Indians the maple sugar was of far more
importance than with us. They not only sweetened
their cakes of ground maize meal with it, but put it
into their soups and even seasoned their meats with it.These first traded it to the white men for beads
and other trinkets, and then the settlers came and
their red neighbors showed them how to gather the
sap and boil it until only the sugar remained in the
evaporating pan. We have had maple sugar ever
since.There was another maple tree in the forest which
the Indians said did not yield enough sugar to pay
for gathering the sap. This was the red or soft maple.French Canadians doubted the tribesmen's words.
They tried for themselves and found that the Indians
had lied. Later other sugar-makers followed
in their footsteps with like results.However, if the soft maple does not furnish sugar,
it does contribute the vivid red maple leaves to the
Autumn woods, blending well with the golden leaves
of the hard maple, and both varieties yield timber thatDo You Mean What
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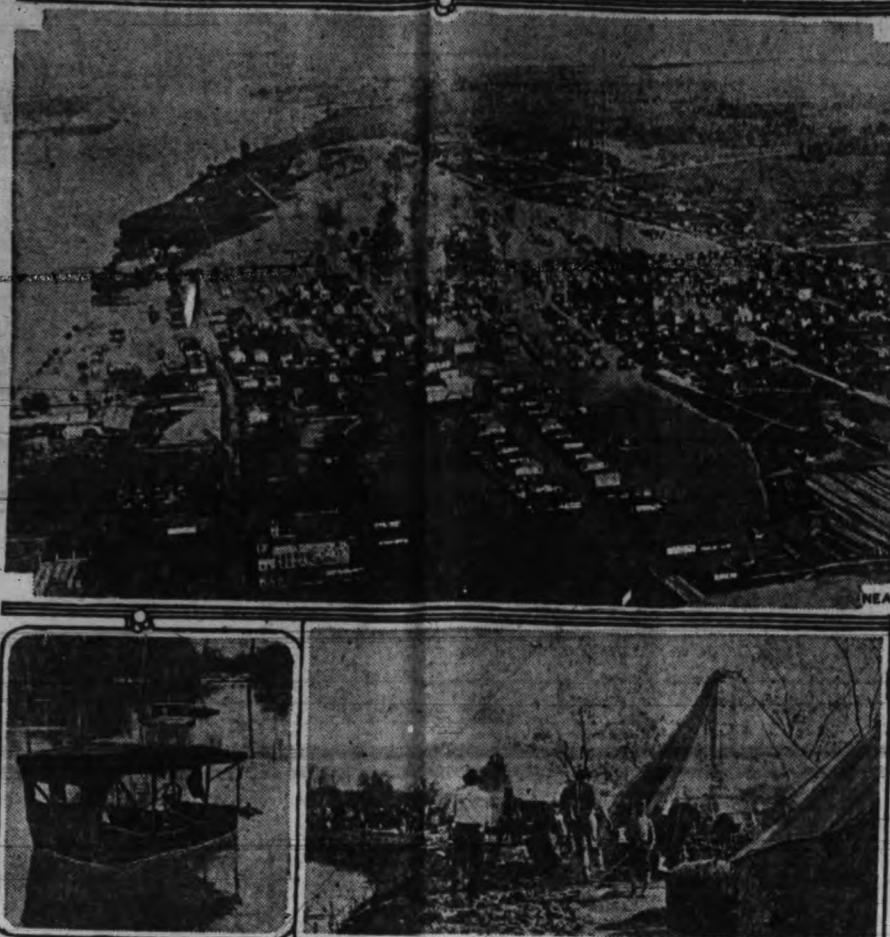
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Nursing District in Colorful
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tainer, Colwood, and under the direction of Major
Godfrey proceeded to Colwood Hall escorted by the Sixty-
seventh Army Band. All the floats
were designed to represent some-
thing conducive to health. The
strides made along those lines by the
modern health teaching, modern
drama, etc., and talked along very
practical lines to both children and
adults. Dr Bastow Hudson chose
for his subject "Diet" and gave a very
good talk with much sound and
practical advice on the proper diet and
its relations to health. Dr Young
spoke on public health matters genera-
lly, and alluded with much satis-
faction to the recent refresher course
held in Vancouver for public health
nurses, which Miss Kelly, nurse in
charge of the Esquimalt Nursing
Service had attended. The public
health movement is growing and
proving itself a boon to humanity,
stated Dr Young, and urged the con-
tinuation of the good work being
done in these districts and the con-
tinued co-operation of the residents.
An excellent speech was received with
cheering and hearty applause, which
testified to the appreciation of a
very large audience. A very pleasant
feature of the evening was graceful
dances performed by pupils of
Miss Hawkswood. Two excellent
moving pictures were shown, Mr.
Young of Victoria, operating the
machine, depicting the work
made in the stamping out of diph-
theria, the film loaned by the Metro-
politan Life Insurance Company and
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CITY DRAFTS MEN TO FIGHT FLOODS



The remarkable aeroplane picture above shows Little Rock, Ark., where 1,000 men have been conscripted for levee duty by the mayor following release of 600 workmen to carry on an apparently futile fight against flood waters. In the city, which is virtually isolated from the rest of the state, 150 homes and store buildings in the eastern section, pictured here, are under water, several hundred are homeless and seventy-five square blocks are flooded. Below, to the left, is shown what happens to flivvers left too near Bear Creek at Pawnee, Okla. To the right is a refugee camp near Cairo, Ill., one of the many camps along the Mississippi where thousands of homeless are being cared for.

SUTHERLAND OPENS BIG ISLAND ROAD SURFACING SCHEME

Programme Which Will Effect Big Improvements Starts North of Duncan

Motorists Asked to Drive Slowly Over Newly-oiled Stretches

The greatest programme of road surfacing ever attempted on Vancouver Island got under way to-day when the Provincial Public Works Department, under Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, started to treat the Island highway north of Duncan.

During the next few weeks, many miles of main road will be surfaced with the bituminous material which has proved a remarkable success on the Island Highway wherever it has been used. From a point north of Duncan, where the hard surface ends, the work will be carried on to Nanaimo, so that travellers will have a smooth route all the way from Victoria to the up-Island city. From Nanaimo the road will be oiled still further northward, probably as far as Englishman's River.

WEATHER DELAYS WORK

Meanwhile, oiling of the more southern portions of the main highway has been delayed by the week-end weather, and the present unseasonable weather has come so soon as the road surfaces have dried off, the Island Highway from Colwood on to Duncan will be repaired in places where the oiled surface applied some years ago has become broken.

In addition, the Sooke Road all the way to Sooke will be oiled as soon as possible, giving the south Sooke district better road facilities than it has ever enjoyed before.

ASKS CO-OPERATION

Engineers of the Public Works Department issued an appeal to motorists to-day to exercise extreme caution in traveling over newly-oiled roads. Fast-moving traffic does heavy damage to roads which have just been oiled, heading, ruining automobile parts and often spattering car passengers with oil. The oiling programme is being arranged so as to inconvenience travelers as little as possible and the co-operation of the motoring public is sought by the Public Works Department in making this work as simple and as effective as possible.

Camasus Chapter—Camous Chapter, L.O.D.E., will hold its usual monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 4, at 2:30 p.m., in the headquarters, Hamley Building, Burrough and Government. A full attendance of members is requested.

Oak Bay Church—On Wednesday, May 4, the Ladies Aid of Oak Bay United Church will hold a May Day tea and bazaar from 3 to 5 p.m. in the school-rooms of the church. There will be several stalls, including plain sewing, fancy work, home-cooking and candy, also an excellent programme will be rendered.

Fellowship Club—The Misses Smith and Mallows will hold a silver tea and card party at the home of Mrs. Jack Smith, 1244 Fairchild Street, corner of Howe, on Wednesday, May 4, at 8 p.m., for the funds of the Fellowship Club. There will be several good prizes for the games and other amusements will be provided for those who do not play cards. They assure all who attend a real good time.

FIRE CAUSED DEATH OF SCHOOL TEACHER

Lake Hill, W.I. — The regular meeting of Lake Hill Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday evening at the Community Hall at 8:30 p.m.

Gadsby, Alta., May 2.—George Hilton, school teacher at Wildawake, Alberta, was fatally burned and the house destroyed by fire.

Despite his terrible injuries, Mr. Hilton, who lived alone at the schoolhouse, drove his own car to Endiang after the fire, arriving there in a state of collapse. He was taken to the Endiang Hospital, where he died Sunday morning.

The fire occurred Friday evening.



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Anchor Brand New Zealand Butter, per lb.	45¢
Silverleaf Puns Lard, per lb.	18¢
Strictly New Laid Eggs, extras, per doz.	30¢
Sliced Swift's Premium Back Bacon, per lb.	52¢
Sliced Swift's Premium Boneless Ham, per lb.	50¢
Sliced Unsmoked Bacon, per lb.	38¢
Smoked Picnic Ham, per lb.	21¢
Smoked Cottage Roll, per lb.	31¢
Salt Spring Island Roquefort Cheese, per lb.	45¢
Brookfield Cheese Similar to Kraft, per lb.	35¢
Spicy Potato Salad, per lb.	20¢
Spencer's Salad Dressing, per lb.	30¢
Sliced Boiled Ham, per lb.	55¢ and 60¢
Sliced Jellied Lamb's Tongues, per lb.	60¢

MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE

Rib Mutton Chops, per lb.	25¢
Loin Mutton Chops, per lb.	35¢
Pork Steaks, per lb.	27¢
Oxford Sausage, per lb.	15¢
Lamb Boneless Stew Beef, 2 lbs. for	35¢
Shoulder Steak, per lb.	18¢

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Striplin Steak, per lb.	35¢
Flank Steak, per lb.	25¢
Little Pig Pure Pork Sausage, per lb.	28¢
Centre-cut Loin Pork Chops, per lb.	38¢

BIG VALUES IN OUR GROCERIA DEPARTMENT FOR MAY 1 BUSINESS

Sunlight Soap, 2 cartons for	42¢
Island Gem Green Peas, 2 lbs. per tin	24¢
Marine Brand Dry Shrimps, per tin	20¢
Del Monte Fruit Salad, 2 lbs. per tin	37¢
Alymer Crosby Corn, 1 lb. per tin	32¢
Aylmer Assorted Soups, except chicken, 3 tins for	35¢
1 pkgs. Baker's Cocnut, 1 lb.	
1 pkgs. St. Lawrence Potato Flour	
1 pkgs. Spencer's Baking Soda	All for 42¢
1 lb. New Bulk Dates	

Del Monte Crushed Pineapples, 1 lb. per tin	17¢
Cowan's Perfection Cocoa, 1 lb. per tin	24¢
1 lb. Norwegian Sardines	Both for 26¢
1 lb. Sancho Mixed Clams	Both for 26¢
Kellogg's Pop. 2 pkgs. for	
Falcon Brand, pink salmon, 1 lb. per tin	25¢
Hillside Asparagus, 2 lbs. per tin	31¢
Quaker Pork and Beans, 2 lbs. per tin	18¢
Royal Crown Washing Powder, per pkg.	18¢
White Swan Soap, 7 bars for	26¢
Best Bread Flour in bulk, 5-lb. paper bag for	24¢
1 lb. Lima Beans	
1 lb. Small White Beans	Both for 13¢

Malkin's Orange Marmalade, 4s. per tin	49¢
Chips, large pkg. for	21¢
Del Monte Asparagus Tips, per tin	30¢
1 tin Libby's Sliced Peaches, 2½ lbs.	Both for 63¢
1 tin Libby's Bartlett Pears, 2½ lbs.	

Empress Raspberry, Strawberry or Black Currant Jam, 2-lb. glass jar for	59¢
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39c and 49c**

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Back-lace Corsets of strong white cotton, medium and high bust styles with elastic in hips and well boned. On sale for \$1.00

Corsets, First Floor

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Finest English Navy Serge Gym Tunics, with square yoke and three box pleats back and front, fastened on the shoulder and finished with girdle. Sizes for 6 to 14 years, at \$3.75 to

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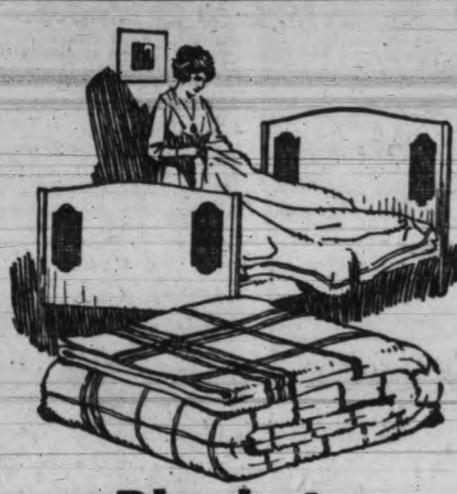
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Libby's Pork and Beans, large tins, 2 for	23¢
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Empress Golden Plum Jam, 4-lb. tins	49¢
Turpentine, large bottles	39¢
Infants' Delight Toilet Soap, 4 cakes	25¢
Swiss Knight Cheese, per box	45¢
Red Spring Salmon, per lb.	25¢
Fresh Lemon Soles, 2 lbs.	25¢
Smoked Cod Fillets, lb.	17¢
Smoked Haddock Fillets, lb.	18¢
Fresh Beef Brisket, lb.	17¢
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"Insouciant grace" of the Russian blouse frock, at the left, and a short-sleeved Worth sports model.

Dear Cousin:

Sports clothes? Well, my dear the minute you changed your mind about needing some, Aunt Louise and I opened our eyes and began looking around.

We saw everything from an entrée calskin riding habit worn by Miss Tinguette of the Moulin Rouge on her early morning canter to some adorable little track pants of brown flannel and a mottled brown and tan sweater top with a zipper opening worn by a smart girl who was playing handball outdoors.

It is my candid opinion that she who sports in silks this Summer will be the smartest. Jerseys lead now on the streets but the latest styles are two-piece silks. And such silks—they look like wools or tweeds or cottons such as exquisite ginghams but they have that slinky something about them that endears them to the feminine heart.

I'm sending you two models. An insouciant grace has the gay Crepela Russian blouse frock. Chic signs its name to it with a smashing bow on the left shoulder, by two-inch tucked inserts running around the full skirt and by great pompons embroidered in chenille in that new rich dark blue that misses black and yet is not navy.

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CLUB NEWS

QUIET WEDDING AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Miss Maude Johnson and Mr. Cecil Clubb United Saturday

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday afternoon at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, when the Rev. A. Dennis, uniting in marriage Maude, eldest daughter of the late Mr. H. P. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson of Currie Road and Mr. Cecil Clubb, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clubb of Newport Avenue.

The bride, who was given in marriage by the Rev. Hugh Allan, was attired in a powder blue cotton gown with hat to match, and a white fox fur, her corsage bouquet was of roses and maidenhair fern. The groom was attended by Mr. Jack Fowle.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where among the many beautiful presents was a silver casserole, the gift of the Victoria Rotary club.

Mr. and Mrs. Clubb left later in the afternoon for Shawinigan, where the honeymoon will be spent. On their return they will reside at Crescent Road, Victoria.

Craigflower P.T.A. — The Craigflower P.T.A. will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, May 5, at 8 p.m. at the school. All parents of the children are invited to be present as an interesting and instructive programme has been arranged.

Esquimalt Catholic League. — The regular monthly meeting of the Esquimalt subdivision Catholic Women's League will be held on Tuesday evening, May 3, at the church hall in Victoria West. All members are asked to attend.

Mr. Armstrong and Mrs. D. S. Robertson. — The Armstrongs, of Diana Place, entertained at a dinner party in her home in Victoria, Saturday evening in honor of her house guest, Miss Jane Warier of Victoria. Covers were laid for twelve, other guests including Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Buchanan, Miss Dorothy Holt, Miss Monica Marpole, Miss Isabel Russell, Miss Isabel Gartshore, Mr. St. Dennis Dusheaney, Mr. Peter Marshall, Mr. Clegg, Mr. McPhillips of Victoria and Mr. Hugh Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Robertson. — The Robertson's of Portland, Oregon, wish to announce the marriage of their second daughter, Catherine (Katie) to Robert Milton, only son of Mrs. Sarah Smith of Victoria, which took place on October 23, 1926, at North Wellington, V.I.

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This is a special bargain which we are offering during the Anniversary Sale. The price includes a scientific examination of your eyes by an expert optometrist and you can choose whatever style of frames you like. Remember these are the one-piece double vision (far and near) glasses, the most useful kind you can have. Complete with case for..... \$9.50

A NEW SERVICE IN THE OPTICAL DEPARTMENT—
A DEFERRED PAYMENT PLAN has been provided for those who appreciate the convenience of time payment, getting delivery of the glasses now and paying out of income. You can arrange terms with our Credit Department on the Fourth Floor.

Optical Department,
Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Hosiery Bargains

Rayon Silk Hose
With lace hemmed tops and reinforced heels and toes. Choose from nude, dove, grey, sunset, zinc, moonlight, black and white; all sizes. Sale price, per pair at..... \$3.50

Rayon Silk Hosiery
With lace mixture, reinforced at heels and toes. Choice of flesh, French nude, woodrose, apricot, moonlight, black; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Sale price, per pair..... \$4.50
2 pairs for..... \$8.50

Thermal Hosiery
With wide hemmed tops and lace reinforced heels and toes, black and colors; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Sale price, per pair..... \$6.00
2 pairs for..... \$12.00

Silk and Wool Hose
These are substandards with very slight imperfections. Choice of blue and sand, black and grey, peach and white, fawn and white. French nude and white; sizes 8 1/2 to 10; value \$1.50. Sale price, per pair..... \$0.75
2 pairs for..... \$1.50

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Drug Sundries at Savings

Mary Garden Talcum. Sale price at..... \$4.50

Jasmin Perfume, \$5.00 value..... \$3.50
Sachet Powders, \$1.00 values..... \$4.50
Bar Rins, test quantity..... \$3.50
Rouge or Powder, Containers, facial mirrors..... \$2.50

Baby Hair Brushes, \$1.00 values for..... \$4.50
Ebony Hair Brushes, \$1.00 values for..... \$6.00
Comb Hanger and Brush, Special at..... \$2.50

Vaseline Hair Tonic, large size..... \$2.50
Morton's Castor Oil, large size..... \$2.50
Seiditz Powders, full strength..... \$1.50
Andrew's Liver Salts, special..... \$2.50
Auto Sponges, large size..... \$0.50
Motor Chamois..... \$0.50

Bath Mitts, Turkish, per pair, special..... \$2.50

Strips for Autostrap Razors..... \$4.50
After Shave Lotion..... \$4.50
After Shave Talcum..... \$1.50

Gillette Razors, complete..... \$0.50

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

Sale Prices on Groceries

H.B.C. SPECIAL BREAKFAST TEA
One-day selling at a very attractive price.
H.B.C. Special Breakfast Tea, Anniversary special—
Per lb. \$1.50
3-lb. pkg. \$1.50
5-lb. pkg. \$2.48
10-lb. pkg. \$4.90

H.B.C. Imperial Blend Freshly Ground Pure Coffee, One-day selling, Anniversary special, per lb. \$2.50
Huron Brand White Tissue Toilet Rolls, Anniversary special, 7 for..... \$2.50
Quaker Special Canned Ripe Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 tin..... \$1.50
3 lbs. for..... \$4.00
5-lb. pkg. \$4.00

Kenyon's Premium Imported Marzipane, 4-lb. tin, Anniversary special..... \$2.50

Van Houten's Cocoa, in bulk, Special, per lb. \$4.50
Horseshoe Brand B.C. Sockeye Salmon, flat tin Special..... \$2.25
3 tins for..... \$6.50

PASTRY FLOUR SPECIAL
Snowflake Brand Pastry Flour in 10-lb. bags, Anniversary special..... \$0.50

CLEARING GOVERNMENT CERTIFIED SEED POTATOES AT ANNIVERSARY SALE PRICES

Varieties included: Green Mountain, Up-to-date, Burbank's and Sir Walter Raleigh, 25-lb. sk. \$1.00

50-lb. sk. \$1.00

100-lb. sk. \$3.70

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Children's Wear at Savings

Children's Sweaters, 100% pure wool, slipover or cont. style, in shades of blue, pink and camel; also white; sizes 1 to 8 years; value \$1.50. Sale price..... \$1.00

Children's Coats in durable quality blanket cloth, double-breasted style in blue, green and tan; sizes 1 and 2 years; value \$4.50. Sale price..... \$2.98

Misses' Tomboy Skirts, shown in new tweed mixtures in smart colors. Made with pleated front and hip pocket. Finished at waist with novelty webbing belt and buckle; sizes 16 to 20 years. Sale price..... \$3.75

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Harvey's Substandards in Women's Cotton Underwear

The imperfections in these garments are very slight indeed; so slight in most cases as to be almost negligible.

Vests

Fine knit cotton with opera tops, built-up shoulders or short sleeves; white only. Sale price..... 29c

Blooms

Plain knit or with rayon stripe in peach, orchid, powder blue, apricot and white. Sale price..... 39c

Combinations

Fine knit cotton with opera tops, built-up shoulders. Step-in style only. Sale price..... 69c

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Crepe Kimonos Special, \$2.98

Attractive garments trimmed with tucked ribbon, others neatly embroidered. Shown in Copen, rose, orchid and peach; value \$2.75. Sale price..... \$2.98

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

250 Bordered Voile Dress Lengths 98c

There are 2 1/2 yards to each length, and they are 54 inches wide. Choose from a wide selection of excellent color combinations that will make up into charming Spring and Summer frocks. Sale price, each.....

Knitted Coats, Values to \$8.95 for \$5.95

Smart Coats knitted in plain designs from wool mixture yarns. Have single-button fastening and large cut-wool collar and cuffs. Shown in fawn, brown and beige; sizes 16 to 20. Sale price..... \$5.95

Tweed Sports Coats, Values to \$15.95 for \$7.75

Smart Coats well-tailored from fancy tweeds and plaids. Belted styles with large pockets, tailored collars and Raglan sleeves; sizes 16 to 38. Sale price..... \$7.75

Tweed Sports Suits, Values to \$27.50 for \$17.95

Tailored Suits in jaunty styles with short coat, belted or unbelted. Skirts are with and without side pleats. Choose from mixed tweeds in grey, fawn, brown and beige tones; sizes 16 to 38. Sale price..... \$17.95

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

500 Yards of Novelty Silks, Values to \$1.98 for 98c a Yard

Included in the collection are 36-inch Printed Silk Crepes, 36 and 38-inch Chiffon Taffetas, 36-inch Black Duchesse Satins, 38-inch Luvias in two-tone stripe effects, 36-inch Creperoyal in shades of rosewood, powder, Jade, gooseberry, peach, cyclamen, sky, orchid, cinnamon, helio, navy, black and ivory; values \$1.98. Sale price, per yard..... 98c

700 Yards Fine Dress Silks, Values to \$2.50 for \$1.69 a Yard

Choose from 4-inch Bordered Rayon Silks, 36-inch Check Taffetas and Lousiennes, 38-inch Silk Foulards, 38-inch Printed Crepe de Chine and Georgette, 37-inch Crepe Satin in black and Ivory, 38-inch Silk Ottomans; values to \$2.50. Sale price, per yard..... \$1.69

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

500 Yards English Striped Broadcloths at 49c a Yard

Shown in multi-colored stripes and novelty effects, beautiful colorings. Will fashion into smart Summer frocks; 38 inches wide; regular 78c. Sale price, per yard..... 49c

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

MORNING SPECIALS

On Sale at 9 o'clock

No Phone Orders, Please

200 Pairs Rayon Bloomers
Good quality Rayon Silk Bloomers, full cut garments with gusset, in peach, pink, Nile green, pinewood and maize; also white; value \$1.35. Sale price, per pair at..... \$0.95

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Women's Full Fashioned Thread
Silk Hose

Full-fashioned Silk Hose, silk to the waist. They are substandards, but the imperfections are so slight that they are hardly noticeable. In sand, flesh, blonde, shell, rose beige, crash, black, metal brown, Mother Goose, plaza grey, hickory, pablo and skin; sizes 8 to 10; value \$1.95. Morning special, per pair..... \$1.35

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Imported Cologne and Lavender Water

The famous long green bottle with shaker top. Morning special at..... \$0.95

—Drugs, Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's "Big Horn" Bib Overalls
Victoria-made Black Bib Overalls, strongly sewn and full cut; sizes 32 to 44; 60 pairs only. Morning special, per pair..... \$1.15

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Men's Brown Canvas Oxford
The popular brown duck Oxford with crepe rubber soles, full round toe last; all sizes; regular \$1.50. Morning special, per pair..... \$1.00

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Oddments in Boys' Shirts
Fine striped percale and flannel shirts; cotton shirts with separate collar or collar attached; all sizes represented, but limited quantity; values to \$1.35. Morning special..... \$0.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

50 Novelty Pure Linen Bridge Sets
Daintily embroidered in colored effects. Cloth 36x36 and four napkins; regular \$5.75. Morning special..... \$3.50

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Costa's Sewing Cotton
200-yard spools black and white; all sizes; regular 10c. Morning special, 12 spools \$0.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Five-string Corn Brooms
Full stock brooms with varnished handles. Made by the National Institute for the Blind. Morning special, each..... \$0.50

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Brussels Jute Headbands
Hard-wearing serviceable rugs in neat patterns and colorings; useful size for bedsize, 22x46. Morning special, each..... \$1.35

No Phone Orders Please

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Rugs and Linoleums Sale Priced

Amminster Rugs

Heavy Pile Rugs in colorings and designs that will enhance the beauty of any room. Size 4x6.7. Sale..... \$14.50
Size 6x8x6. Sale..... \$25.50
Size 6x8x6. Sale..... \$37.50
Size 8x10. Sale..... \$47.50

Feltol Floor Covering

Superior Felt Base Floor Covering that will lie flat without tracking down; attractive designs; 6 feet wide. Sale price, per square yard..... \$1.68

Barry's and Greenwich Inlaid Linoleum

Two of the best known makes included in this offering of inlaid linoleum. The patterns through to the canvas back. Both are perfect, well-seasoned and dependable. Sale price, per square yard..... \$1.68

New Dominion Feltol Rugs

Good Wear—Feltol Rugs in various designs and colorings; suitable for any room in the home. Size 6x8x6. Sale price..... \$4.75
Size 7x8x6. Sale price..... \$5.75
Size 8x9x6. Sale price..... \$7.50
Size 9x10.6. Sale price..... \$8.75
Size 9x12. Sale price..... \$9.75

—Third Floor, H.B.C.

Special Values in Silverware

Glass Salad Bowls
Heavy glass silver mounted, complete with box wood servers. Sale price at..... \$1.00

Silver-plated Pie Plates
8-inch size with fire proof pyrex lining. Sale price..... \$3.49

Heavy E. P. N. S. Casseroles

Useful and attractive casseroles with engraved pyrex lining. Regular \$6.95. Sale price..... \$6.40

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Fine French Worsted Suits Good Sellers at \$50.00, Now \$39.00

These High-grade Suits are shown in exclusive shades of grey, sand, rosewood and blue with faint vertical stripes. All new Spring models. Choice of single and double-breasted, are silk lined.

Sizes 35 to 44, with two pairs of trousers

\$39.00

New Draperies at Sale Prices

They would be good value at \$50.00 and would be marked at that figure were it not for the fact that they were purchased by us at a special price concession. Tailored from Scotch and English fabrics, art silk lined; value \$35.00

regular \$50.00 for..... \$35.00

Crotonnes
36-inch Crotonnes in beautiful designs and colors. Suitable for many purposes, 10 bolts only; regular \$6.00. Sale price, per yard..... 45c

Curtain Fabrics
Plain, marquisette, bordered curtain scrims and check marquisettes grouped to clear; values to 25c. Sale price, per yard at..... 15c

Cream Madras
Scotch Madras of good wearing quality, will make up into dainty curtains; 36

PILGRIMAGE MADE TO ENGLISH CAMP SITE AT SAN JUAN

Two Hundred Excursionists Pay Tribute to Former British Soldiers

The early history of San Juan Island during the time of the joint British and American military occupation from 1860 to 1872 was recalled on Saturday with two hundred visitors who journeyed to the English Camp, near Roche Harbor, to place wreaths on the graves of the twelve Royal Marine Light Infantry men who died while stationed there. The excursion was arranged by the Women's University Club, in co-operation with the Victoria Historical Association. It marked the 125th anniversary of the landing of Capt. George Vancouver, and the return to this city was so timed that the excursionists were able to see the commemorative bonfires at Douglas on the American side and at Point Roberts at the height of their conflagration.

VISIT TO BLOCK HOUSE

The journey to Roche Harbor was made on board the Princess Royal, the party then transferring to barges for the trip to English Camp. At English Camp, Mrs. Davis, descendant of one of the soldiers stationed there in the sixties, greeted the pilgrims and acted as guide, showing them over the block house, which is in an excellent state of preservation, and the officers' mess in the former officers' quarters. Most interesting was a quaint old print of English camp at the time of the British occupation, which is in the possession of Mrs. Davis.

The pilgrimage was then continued up the mountain in the direction where, in a tiny "God's Acre" enclosed in green palings and overlooking magnificent panoramas of wooded islands and blue sea, lie twelve men of the Royal Marine Light Infantry. Their little cemetery is tended and kept in repair through a grant made by the Imperial Government. One of the headstones was scarcely decipherable owing to the ravages of time, but the others were in a wonderful state of preservation.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

Baumont Boggs, acting president

of the B.C. Historical Society, and John Hosis, the secretary, Colonel Lorne Ross and W. J. Edwards, representing the British Campaigners, and Mrs. E. C. Hart, president of the University Women's Club, entered the consecrated enclosure to place the wreaths and flowers on the graves that housed the British Campaigners being composed of laurel from the old Victoria garden planted in the sixties by the late Dr. W. F. Tolmie, one of the pioneers of Vancouver Island. Mrs. R. B. McMickling, representing the Lady Legion, after offering small bouquets of fragrant forget-me-nots for each of the graves, and a small Union Jack to place at each headstone while the standard-bearer of the chapter stood at attention.

After the impressive little ceremony, the pilgrims journeyed back to the site of the camp where an excursion was organized October 10 by the Washington State Historical Society, recording the statement that the first officer in charge of the camp was Captain George Bazalgette, of the Royal Marines; that the British camp existed from 1860 to 1872; and that "as arbitrated by William Edward Gurney, who decided the San Juan case, 1872, 1872."

HISTORY RECALLED

On their return to Roche Harbor the excursionists sat down to dinner in the open-air pavilion, where a huge open-fire with its iron "spits" told of frequent barbecues. During dinner, the party was entertained with a review of the events leading up to the dispute between Britain and the United States over the boundary matter, the speaker being Mr. Justice Martin.

The speaker detailed the history of early navigation and the respective merits of the records and charts made by Juan de Fuca, Drake, Martinez, Perez, Quadra, Vancouver and Cook, recording the fact that he was with the first authentic investigation of the Juan de Fuca Straits in 1787. But Elsøe's chart, which for the first time showed the three channels, was subject of the subsequent controversy during the international dispute.

The subsequent incidents, including the shooting of Griffin's pig and the affair of the disputed boundary, serious aspects of the dispute were recounted by the speaker, his narrative of the various phases of the dispute and its final settlement being followed with keen interest.

A very interesting participant in the pilgrimage was Mr. Bert Mason, who lived as a boy at English Camp during the time of the military occupation.

"Am I to have the pleasure of the next dance?"
"Yes—all of it."

YOUNG BOY MERITS SPECIAL MENTION AT RECENT FESTIVAL



RAYMOND H. ROSE

At the recent Victoria Musical Festival, the adjudicator of the elocution classes, Miss Nellie Cornish of the Cornish School of Art, Seattle, made special mention of the young Raymond H. Rose, youngest competitor in this branch of the festival.

He is the son of the well-known jeweler, Joseph Rose, and Mrs. Rose of Linden Avenue, and is only six and a half years old.

Although Raymond was second place, Miss Cornish pointed out that he was very near first prize, and his success in the Thespian art was very promising. He won a second-place certificate in the class for boys under twelve, and received 154 marks out of a possible 200. His test pieces were "The Children's Song" by Rudyard Kipling, and Eugene Field's "The Boot Black."

You Can't Keep Well if You Skimp on Sleep

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

When a person is fatigued he rests, and by the material processes of the body cells tend to recover from fatigue during the resting period. The earliest books of hygiene known to man speak of "this factor and took it into account."

The amount of sleep necessary at various periods in life varies. When as the child of 4 to 6 years of age should sleep from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. and take a one-hour nap in the afternoon, the child from 12 to 14 may sleep from 8.30 p.m. until 7 a.m. without a nap.

The average boy or girl between the ages of 14 to 18 years should sleep nine or ten hours, preferably between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m., rather than between 1 a.m. and 11 a.m. of the following day. The person of 18 years of age should try to sleep eight hours each night, although it is recognized that some persons are able to do with less.

Inability to sleep, or insomnia, is sometimes due to physical conditions, but is also due largely to the establishment of habits. If one has established the habit of going to sleep easily and at a regular hour and of relaxing the body systematically at this hour, going to sleep, he will probably have no trouble with insomnia than if he attempts to sleep at varying periods and indulges in constant variations of the sleeping performance.

A mind that is disturbed is not easily lulled to rest. Certain drugs, such as caffeine, have the power of lowering the threshold for stimulation of the thinking centers of the brain, and persons who are sensitive to caffeine should avoid the use of tea and coffee, particularly before going to sleep.

It is generally well recognized that a walk in the open air or a drive with plenty of fresh air induces to sleepiness and that a warm bath or a warm drink has a sedative quality.

A person who is unable to sleep because of constant worry should seek expert advice, since he is falling into mental habits that may lead to serious final effects.

It's Honesty to Yourself That Counts the Most

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

There is an honesty that is not worth of dollars and cents, or a matter even of telling the truth. It is honesty of self.

I often think of an old song in "Ermine," if any of you remember that opera. Two "thieves" sing if and it goes something like this: "Things are seldom what they seem. Skinned milk masquerades as cream. Jackdaws strut in peacock's feathers" and so on. I forget the rest.

But it is as true to-day as it was then—truer indeed, in an age when material things mean too much and real things mean too little.

The house with the Queen Anne front and the Mary Ann back, the fine car at the curbstone, while the mattresses on the children's beds are hard and uncomfortable. The fur coat with theatre tickets in the pocket and insufficient food on the table.

Expenditure is entirely a personal affair. It is not the way of business if one wishes to save at the liquor and waste at the bungalow. (Except about the children. I shall always reserve the right there to criticize).

But it is not honesty to one's self. That is the point I would make. It is like cheating one's self a solitaire. That they say—is the world's meanest man.

There is camouflage of place for instance. That is important. Why do people try to pretend that they are different? Why conceal their birthplace and the manner to which they were born?

The true gentleman or gentleman woman has honor, the ladder has made good, as we can see, will not conceal the identity of his forebears.

Why? Because he wants to be honest with the public? Yes! But first because he knows he must first be honest with himself.

MRS. SLICHTER IS FREED BY BANDITS

Widow of Missionary and Son Were Prisoners of Robbers in China

London, May 2.—The British Foreign Office to-day received a belated message from Yunnanfu, Southern China, under date of April 27, saying Mrs. Morris Slichter of Toronto and her son had been released by the Chinese bandits who captured them early last month, with the Rev. Morris Slichter and his eight-year-old daughter were killed. Mrs. Slichter and her son, the message adds, are presumably en route to Yunnanfu, which is the capital of Yunnan province.

So far as the Foreign Office knows, Miss Mary Craig, Philadelphia medical missionary, who was captured by the same bandits, is still at Shihlung, where she went after being released.

Official advice to the Cantonese Government on April 23 said Mrs. Slichter had been released and was at Shihlung, wounded. The release, unharmed, of Miss Craig, was reported in United States consular advices April 26.

A middle-aged woman pulled the bell frantically in an endeavour to stop the bus before the proper stopping place.

"It's no use, lady," said the conductor: "it won't play any tune!"

THE FURY OF A TORNADO

Illinois Town Looks Like Village in World War Zone After Twister Hits It



This remarkable telephoto picture shows the damage caused at Cornland, Ill., by a tornado that swept across the state, taking about thirty-five lives. Every building in the town was demolished and, damaged, and people are shown seeking their belongings in the ruins. The picture was taken from the top of a badly damaged grain elevator.

BORDER DISCUSSION BRINGS UP TREATY

Pact of 1794 Gave Canadian and U.S. Citizens Right to Cross Freely

Washington, May 2.—Eleven days after Canada protested against the new border regulations of the United States Government, and asked for a conference on the subject, Washington is still wondering what the reply will be.

Several new factors have crept into the discussion. One is the possibility that Canada might be compelled to meet the new regulations with reprisals, and another factor in the case is the Jay Treaty of 1794. At least one expert on international law has informed the Canadian Press that the Jay Treaty probably still is in force in spite of the War of 1812. And that treaty gives the right to "pass and repass" the border to "His Majesty's subjects and citizens of the United States."

Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian Minister to the United States, told the Canadian press he was not in a position to say whether any amendment as yet, except that he had every hope of a favorable reply in the near future.

A very plain woman, carrying a clock in a brown paper parcel, entered the shop.

"I want," she said, "a new dial, please."

"I should jolly well think you did!" chirped the assistant.

Standard Furniture Co. Again Expanding

Since the general public is beginning to know we have five floors full of Display Furniture, and the immensity of our stock, we are doing an ever-increasing business—so much so that we have found it necessary to again enlarge our floor space. We are taking over part of the Sylvester Block, next door, but before alterations can be completed, walls broken through, etc., we must dispose of a quantity of our stock, especially the better goods. We would rather sacrifice this stock than get it scratched and marred from brick and plaster dust. Everything in the store will be reduced for quick clearance. A deposit will hold any article until required. The few items mentioned below will convince you of the genuine bargains being offered. Everything in the store reduced. Sale now in full swing.

Couches and Camp Cots

All-steel Black Enamel Camp Cots, 2 feet 6 inches wide, complete with all-felt pad and link spring: regular \$9.75. On sale for **\$8.45**

Black Enamel Steel Couches with link fabric spring and all-felt mattress covered with cretonne. May be used for two to four persons. Each **\$13.90**

All-felt Mattresses, made to any size, full weight, with heavy roll edge and covered with good grade ticking: regular **\$9.00** for **\$7.50**

All-Feather Pillows, 89c

50 only, 17x25 inches, free from odor and guaranteed all feathers, covered in fancy art tick. Extension Sale Price, each **89c**

INLAID LINOLEUMS, \$1.29 Square Yard

PATTERNS THROUGH TO THE BACK

All the latest styles including jasper, Dutch tile, mosaic, block and floral designs. The best floor covering on the market.

Standard quality: regular **\$1.55**. Expansion Sale, per square yard **\$1.29**

Heavier weight: regular **\$1.85**. Expansion Sale, per square yard **\$1.65**

FELT BASE LINOLEUM RUGS

AT EXTENSION SALE PRICES

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"Old Contemptibles" Appear In Dominion Film This Week

Heroic Retreat From Mons Is Theme of Great British War Picture Authorized by the Imperial War Office; Five Scenes of Actual Fighting Shown

Britain's "Old Contemptibles" live again on the screen of the Dominion Theatre this week. With a vivid reality, scenes of the early days of the Great War are portrayed in "Mons"—the landing of the first troops in France, and the historic retreat of August, 1914, when khaki blocked the seemingly irresistible advance of field grey. The film, authorized as it is by the Imperial War Office, has enjoyed a long run in the different centres in England in which it has been exhibited. Judging from the large audiences that greeted its opening here, it seems likely to prove popular in Victoria as well, and it is well worth seeing as a historical record of an epoch-making event.

Besides its superb presentations of actual fighting scenes against desperate odds on the very ground where these episodes took place, and enacted by many of the very men who took part in them, "Mons" presents the Canadian touch throughout, showing the essentially British quality of the men who made the "old Contemptibles" the fighting stuff that can laugh and see or take part in a joke through the very inferno of war itself. That was the stuff that kept the enemy forever baffled, beaten, unable to comprehend the spirit of these men, who, defiantly, defiantly, doggedly refuse to recognize the word defeat though it be written in fire and blood with shell and bullet and bayonet impelled against them by odds of a hundred to one.

Matheson Lang to Appear in Picture At Variety Theatre

Famous Actor Plays Same Role in Film as on Stage Here This Week

Matheson Lang, the well-loved and striking English actor, who appeared here a short time ago in "The Wandering Jew" and created as much of a sensation with his Victoria audience as he did anywhere else in all his long tour, will again be seen in this play, but on this occasion on the silver screen. In the motion picture version of the famous

Where To Go To-night

Capitol—"Getting Gertie's Garter."
Columbia—"Red Dice."
Dominion—"Mons."
Variety—"The Wandering Jew."
Playhouse—"The Bishop and the Burglar."
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

vehicle, written by E. Temple Thurton, Lang is superb.

The great actor himself said that he was more confident of the success of this film than he was of the play.

The Variety Theatre has secured this film in which Lang again plays the role of the Wandering Jew, the man who could not die. It is striking in its scenic beauties and in its character portrayals, and shows as a special feature all this week. Starting Monday the picture will play for the rest of the week.

Dice Cast Sets Day Upon Which Hero is to Die

Suicide Bargain With Bootlegging Czar Creates Situation in "Red Dice."

Rod La Rocque finds himself in a queer situation in "Red Dice," his starring vehicle which is the screen showing at the Columbia Theatre this week. A pair of dice, tumbling from the box, decide the day upon which he is doomed to die.

But he, contrived, down and out, La Rocque bargains with North, the czar of a powerful bootlegging ring, to take his own life within a year in return for the immediate payment to him of \$300. North, played by Gustave von Seyffertitz, in turn insures Rod's life for \$100,000. He then requires that Rod marry a girl of North's selection and that he live with her for a time to allay insurance company suspicion.

North lets a pair of dice decide the exact date upon which Rod is to die. The death day set, the suicide candidate marries the girl, played by Marguerite De La Motte, a girl whom he has never seen prior to the marriage.

Contrary to Rod's wildest expectations and also to the well-laid plans of North, Rod falls in love with his wife, and decides he's not so keen on going through with the suicide agreement. Rod's desperate struggle to raise \$100,000 within the year that he may buy back his life, which he has sold to North, and which North is sure to demand, furnishes thrill after thrill, including the jacking of a sun ship at sea, and other tense situations galore.

Columbia Music Students Appeared in Fine Programme

The large audience attending the recital at the Columbia School of Music on Friday evening heard a most excellent programme given by the junior grade students in piano and violin solos, in the ninth monthly recital of the season.

Nancy Murray, Evelyn Dawson and Andry Milne deserve special mention, and other very pleasing piano numbers were played by Clifford Barlow, Margaret Parker, Jessie McDonald, Opal Day, Alice Strickland, Virginia Ross, Violet Waite, Harold Alexander, Evelyn Dawson.

Violin students, others Rosette Lee, winner of the musical festival medal, class 27, who was received with prolonged applause, and most pleasing solos were given by Alan Mayhew, Opal Day, Robert O'Neill and Muriel Graham, with her sister, Hilda, at the piano. Although not on the programme George Tate, winner in his class of the musical festival medal, and Mary Philip, who did so well in her class, were called on to play their festival pieces and the reception given them left no doubt that their fellow students are very proud of them, and of Olive Heale who received many congratulations on getting third in the senior piano class.

Keen delight and applause of a most enthusiastic nature greeted the Columbia School ensemble class, winners of the Little & Taylors musical festival challenge shield, who played their test pieces. Those taking part in this class were Mary Philip, Rosette Lee, Muriel, Hilda, Muriel Graham, George Tate, Burdon-Burdon-Murphy, Robert O'Neill, Alan Mayhew, Clifford Wallis, with Desmond Burdon-Murphy at the piano.

At the end of the programme, P. Philip, Deputy Minister of Public Works spoke to the students on the importance of music education, urging them not to neglect the many advantages being offered them, and said he felt sure everyone present joined him in offering Mrs. Burdon-Murphy and her excellent staff, warmest congratulations on the many successes of the Columbia School students at the musical festival and on the very delightful musical evening they had just had.

Canadian Pacific Railway excursion to Bellingham Tulip Festival, May 6. Princess Louise leaves Victoria at 9:30 a.m. Adults, \$2.05; children, 51. Leave Bellingham 5:30 p.m. Tickets now on sale.

A pleasing presentation of a sprightly Spanish comedy.—Vancouver Province.

"A large audience derived much entertainment."—Vancouver Sun.

"The players were all good."—New Westminster Columbian.

Prices: \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c and 50c. Boxes and Loges \$2.00.

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From Cockroach Killers To Movie Devices—He Invents 'Em All

Redondo Beach, Calif., May 2. The world does not know Edward Amet. But practically every civilized country has benefited from the inventions of this sixty-six-year-old man.

Amet makes no claim to fame. He works quietly in a small shop back of his beach home here. When his inventions are perfected he sells them but never shouts about his triumphs.

Amet really should be ranked with such men as Edison, Bell, Fulton, Marconi and others. Perhaps he will when he is gone from this world.

NEARLY 300 PATENTS

"I now have close to 300 patents," declared the inventor, whom I stumbled across quite accidentally. "They are on all kinds of devices, ranging from cockroach killers to new kinds of motion picture apparatus. If I am ever well known, it will be because of the things I have invented for the movies."

"I made several improvements upon Thomas Edison's invention, the kinetoscope—a machine for producing motion pictures. I devised a shutter and combined them with a base with an arc light and condenser lenses. That made the projection of pictures much smoother."

Amet also invented the original talking movies, now supplanted by the talking telephone. It was in 1912 that he devised a device for synchronizing sound with the pictures.

It was hailed as a great invention at that time but failed to keep progress with the rest of the industry.

"I never became an inventor, I was born this way," he explained in answer to my question. "My first invention was in 1907 when I devised a felt-rubber overshoe. Then came the cockroach killer—consisting of an old induction coil, a battery and a sheet of tinfoil on a piece of glass. I invented that for my mother because she was troubled with cockroaches in the kitchen."

"I entered the telephone field and contrived the telephone resistor, an element which permitted conversations to be carried on at much greater distances. Soon afterwards I became telegraph operator for a Chicago ice company. While on that job I designed a mowing machine to cut reeds from the lake shore so the ice would form perfectly. I was free for that."

WEIGHING DEVICE MADE

From a financial standpoint the best thing I ever invented was a scale for weighing freight cars as they passed over it at a speed of six miles an hour. These scales are still in use.

"Oil was first attracted me and after more than a year of steady work I found a method of obtaining oil and releasing all its by-products at the well. The expense was several times less than the cost of the usual process. My method was used successfully until the advent of the Diesel engine, which revolutionized oil production."

Edward Amet is now at an age where many men retire from an active business life. But he has no thoughts of that. He will continue to invent as long as he can travel the short distance between his home and shop.

BRILLIANT-MUSICAL NUMBERS

Orchestra leader William Tickle of the Crystal Garden orchestra has chosen a particularly attractive musical programme for Tuesday night's

Mainland Music Makers to Play Here This Week

Broadcasting Orchestra from Vancouver Is Added To Playhouse Bill

The big attraction at the Playhouse this week is Lafe Cassidy's broadcasting orchestra. This splendid aggregation of symphonic jazz players comes to Victoria fresh from many stages of the mainland.

They have had the honor of opening several of the larger coast hotels and cabarets, and have done a great amount of broadcasting, being heard last week from the best stations. The band has just recently finished a long engagement at the famous Vancouver Hotel.

For his final week of the Winter season Reg. Hincks will present a new English farce-comedy entitled, "The Bishop and the Burglar."

Doris Kenyon, Lloyd Hughes and Louise Fazenda are at their very best, in a rollicking First National comedy drama, "Ladies at Play."

Patro McCullough, Virginia Lee Corbin, Hullam Cooley, John Patrick, Ethel Wales and Tom Ricketts will be in support.

WITTY COMEDY WILL BE PRESENTED AT GARDEN TUESDAY

On Tuesday evening the Co-optimist Comedy Company will present the fascinating, witty, light comedy, "Belinda," at the Crystal Garden. Presented by the stars of the Co-optimist Comedy Company who will take part on Tuesday evening are Miss Ella Pottinger, Mrs. P. Sturrock, Major Taylor, Mr. L. I. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Legge-Willis. "Belinda" promises to be one of the outstanding hits of a popular season at the Garden.

Orchestra Leader William Tickle of the Crystal Garden Orchestra has chosen a particularly attractive musical programme for Tuesday night's

popular concert. This will include the Bach overture "chauspiel," selections from the ever-popular "Mikado" and "Wellington March." After the concert the entire audience will adjourn to the south ballroom where a popular dance will follow.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

As a special holiday attraction the Co-optimist Comedy Company will offer "The Private Secretary" on May 24 and 25. One of the most successful comedies of all time.

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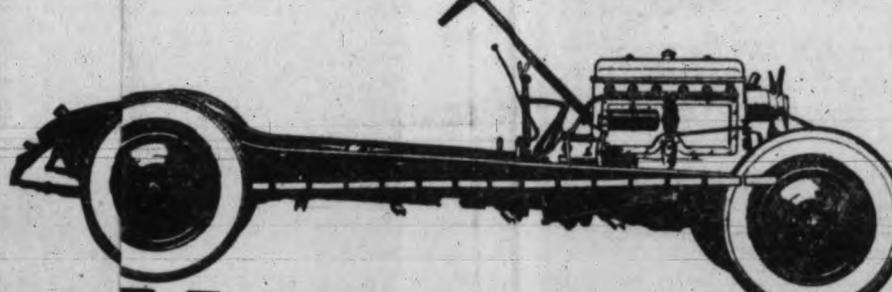
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Capitol Theatre Programme Features Comedy Film With Exceptional Vaudeville Attractions Added; Chief Eagle Feather Will Show Theatre-goers Some Rare Performing

The dining saloon of a palatial transatlantic steamship—a replica of one of New York's most fashionable bachelor clubs—an elegantly furnished bachelor apartment and a beautiful country estate are among the spectacular settings for "Getting Gertie's Garter," Marie Prevost's new Metropolitan star comedy which will be on view at the Capitol Theatre all this week.

This amusing screen version of Avery Hopwood's famous bedroom farce centres around the frantic quest of the hero, played by Charles Ray, after an elusive and incriminating garter worn by Miss Prevost in the role of Gertie.

E. Mason Hopper, who directed Miss Prevost's "Grip" in "Mabel's Room," one of the most famous of boudoir comedies, also directed "Getting Gertie's Garter," as prepared for the screen by F. McGrew Willis. In the supporting cast are Franklin Pangborn, Sally Rand, Harry Myers, Fred Ricarday, Del Henderson, Lila Lee and William Farnum.

On the stage at the Capitol Theatre this week the management is offering two exceptional vaudeville presentations in the form of Chief Eagle Feather, billed as the only full-blooded Indian Tap Dancer. Chief Eagle Feather has taken leading parts of the Madison Man in such pictures as "The Canyon Wagon," "The Call of the North," "The Oregon Horse," and "The Vanishing American," and is coming to Victoria after just completing a year's contract with the Panchos and Marco Theatre, on the Pacific Coast. The second act introduces to Capitol fans Mae McCrea and Marie Celeste, Comediennes De Luxe, in a comedy skit entitled "No Foolin'."

The Capitol Concert Orchestra will be featured also in addition to this big bill.

"In what condition was the patriarch at the end of his life?" Dead.

James Gibson Goes to Vancouver to Compete For Championship

"Canada's Diamond Jubilee and her progress since Confederation" will be the subject of the semi-final addresses in the British Columbia Oratorical contest held Saturday evening in the Metropolitan Church school room.

James Gibson, champion orator of Victoria High School, and son of J. W. Gibson, director of agricultural education and acting-principal of the Normal School, was successful in winning and thereby is entitled to go to Vancouver on May 10 to compete

Actresses Nowdays Born, Not Made, It Seems, In Family Bunches



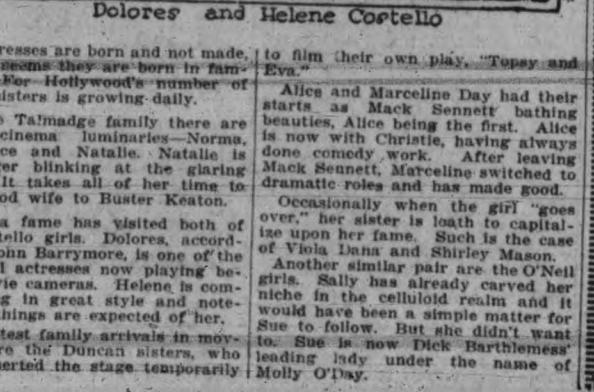
Alice and Marceline Day



Norma and Constance Talmadge



Vivian and Rosetta Duncan



Dolores and Helene Costello

in the finals for the championship of British Columbia.

The following were the contestants: Archie Dick, Cumberland; John Guthrie, Cassidy High School; Algoma Ironside, Nanaimo High School; and James Gibson, Victoria High School.

Currie and many others famous today in the world of art and drama, were remarked upon by the young orators.

Time minutes was the time allotted to speak and at the conclusion, while the judges were making their decisions, the three School trio rendered musical selections.

Saying that he had never heard anything so well done before in the way of speaking by such young people, Major Bullock-Webster told the three other contestants who had not spoken, but to keep at it, and some day not very far off, they would make names for themselves. Albert Sullivan and Dr. W. G. Wilson also spoke encouraging words to the boys.

The Provincial champion for the evening, and the judges were: Provincial Inspector of High Schools, Rev. J. G. Willis of the First United Church; and Major Bullock-Webster, director of the B. C. Dramatic School. The young orators made an excellent showing, and the judges had quite a difficult task in determining the winner. Delicacy, clearness and presence of speech drew the highest praise.

The four young orators traced the history of Canada since Confederation, and showed the growth of the country since that time. The wonderful railways that link the East and the West together, the fertile prairie lands that have been cultivated in the last sixty years, and the heroes who fought in the Great War, were pointed out as evidence that Canada is now ready to take her place in the world's nations.

The Provincial champion will represent British Columbia at Toronto on May 18, when all Provincial champions will compete for the Dominion championship and a free trip to Europe.

The Canadian champion will be sent to Washington, D. C., in October for the international oratorical contest at which the champion orators of Great Britain, Canada, France, United States, Mexico and Japan will meet.

Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education, will preside at the Provincial finals on May 10, which are under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. S. J. Willis, superintendent of education, will act as one of the judges on that occasion.

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BASEBALL, BOXING TIMES SPORTING NEWS GOLF, FOOTBALL

Thomas Shoots Two 79s And Is Crowned Medalist At Colwood

Veteran Finishes Qualifying Round With Total of 158, Four Strokes to Good

Ed McQuade Second and Jack Matson Third; Several Surprises Recorded

Frank Thomas, veteran of many thrilling golf championships, paced his way around the Colwood course yesterday and showed the rest of the club members a few wrinkles in this rather aggravating game. The occasion was the 36-hole qualifying round of the club championship and, while Thomas played like a master all the way, some of the others had to rub their eyes at the cruel turns of fate.

Thomas had two brilliant rounds considering the unsuitable weather conditions. He went from one hole to another with the certainty of a skillful collector and the result of his first eighteen holes was a card of 79. In the afternoon Thomas went the round once more in 79. He was the only man to break the "seventies" and his total of 158 gave him the medal honors.

ISMAY DOES VERY WELL

Ed McQuade, who two years ago was city champion, was runner-up to Thomas. He finished four strokes behind Thomas, his scores being 80 and 82 for a total of 162. Jack Matson, the club's second best player with two broken fingers, was next in order with 165, while E. W. Ismay, who has been out of the game for a time, played remarkably well and tied for fourth place with Harold Lineham, who last year was runner-up in the championship.

There were several surprises and a number of disappointments. Two of the outstanding performances were returned by Alex Straith and Jack Stevens. Straith finished with a 151, while his total of 174, the two places farther back was Stevens, who had 152. Both these players have shown a great improvement of late, but a surprise was created when they finished so far up the list.

T. H. Leesing, who qualified with 189, had several interesting holes in his rounds. He recorded a "two" on the seventh and a "two" on the fifteenth as well as a "three" on the seventeenth.

Dr. Frank Bryant, who shot an 85 in the morning, but who was somewhat off his game in the afternoon, requiring 113, which prevented him from qualifying, had an unusual experience at the seventeenth. His second shot, which reached the green, bounced into the "sausage," which acts as the flag. It remained there until the wind died down a little, allowing the "sausage" to sag, and when the ball fell to the ground and Bryant notched a "three."

THE SCORES

Those who qualified were as follows:

CANADIAN SOCCER TEAM PLAYS WELL IN CALGARY GAME

Ruth's Two Homers Lift Yanks To Win Over Philadelphia

Sixty Thousand Fans Watch New York Defeat Hot Rivals; Gehrig Also Homes

Brooklyn Overtake Giants in Ninth and Win; Chicago Sox Win Sixth Straight

New York, May 2.—The New York Yankees assumed undisputed possession of the pennant in the American League by defeating the Philadelphia Athletics here yesterday, 3 to 2 before more than 60,000 fans. Babe Ruth hit his fifth and sixth homers of the year, the first coming in the first inning with one on base and the other in the eighth with none on. Lou Gehrig also homered for the Yankees in the ninth. The visitors got twelve hits off Pennock against five for the home club.

Starting his first major league game Lisenbee held Boston to seven hits at Washington yesterday and Washington won, 6 to 0, by bunching him off. Russell, Goslin got his first home of the season and the first of the year.

Music was supplied during afternoon by Charlie Rainey's band.

The scores were as follows:

Large Turnout Of Bowlers For Annual Match On Saturday

Vice-President's Rink Defeats President's Side at Beacon Hill Opening

Seventy-two bowlers turned out on Saturday afternoon for the official opening of the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club. President Paterson and Alderman John Harvey contributed the opening speeches.

The annual match between eighteen rinks, representing the president and vice-president, was played with the latter's rink won out by fifty-seven points.

Music was supplied during afternoon by Charlie Rainey's band.

The scores were as follows:

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S. H. Braund	P. Harris	
R. Tuthill	G. V. Greenhill	
(skip)	Thos. Renfrew	
D. McLean	J. Morton	
P. Handley	A. Renfrew	
T. C. Collings	D. Peden	
R. Dowswell	J. Raeside	
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Wm. Washington	Wm. Merchant	
A. B. McNeill	W. J. McAllan	
W. MacKay	M. Smith	
(skip)	H. M. Wright	
T. Roberts	(skip)	15
G. F. Lockwood	S. C. Hawkins	
D. H. Bryce	A. J. Wilson	
J. D. McLean	D. Peden	
(skip)	W. Wood	
E. Garland	(skip)	29
J. A. Stewart	W. Robb	
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F. Thomas plays R. A. Pocock.		
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A. Muir plays H. Lineham.		
P. B. Schwengers plays D. Haynes.		
V. C. Martin plays L. D. Rines.		
G. Y. Simpson plays T. H. Leesing.		
T. S. McPherson plays J. Matson.		
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W. W. Hall plays E. C. McQuade.		
SECOND FLIGHT		
W. Cathcart plays L. Patrick.		
F. J. Hall plays A. W. Miller.		

Great Welcome For Edmonton Grads on Arrival Back Home

Edmonton, May 2.—Preparations to give the Commercial Grads basketball team a big welcome on their return home to-night, from their triumphal invasion of the East, have been completed and when the team arrives at the station to-morrow they will be greeted by thousands of admirers. The programme includes bands, a big parade, fireworks and presentations to the Canadian champions, who scored victories in Toronto to retain their Canadian title, and followed this up by impressive triumphs in New York, Detroit and Chicago.

Toronto Team Wins Pro Soccer Title

Montreal, May 2.—Ulster United Toronto won the Canadian professional championship for 1926, when they defeated Montreal Maroons by 1-0 here yesterday. This gave them a count of 6-1 on the series, the Toronto eleven having beaten Montreal last week in the Ontario capital by 5-1.

H. K. Perry plays J. L. Stuhdorff. Geo. Wilkinson plays J. N. Findlay. J. L. Mara plays H. A. Hincks. F. W. Baylis plays H. P. Hodges. Dr. Bryant plays P. C. Abel. Geo. Brady plays J. Cummings.

SECOND FLIGHT

W. Cathcart plays L. Patrick.

F. J. Hall plays A. W. Miller.

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LAILA

A Tale of the Days of Christ, by John Newport
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CHAPTER XXXVII.

The sallow-cheeked man whirled and addressed his compatriots. "This man must be brought before our lord, Herod," he said. "Whether he be Flavius or Antonius, the Roman or the Jew, the King of the Jews or the King of the Romans, he must be brought before our lord, Herod."

He motioned to an attendant in the background. "Go and have a stretcher prepared, and bring bears!" The man sped away, and the commissioner spoke to the guard. "Stand by the door, and let no man enter." The guard stepped forward, and turned to Antonius. "Soldier," he said, "we will make the journey to Engannum, under guard, to repeat your tale to the Tetrarch. I go to examine other witnesses, but when the bearers come with your stretcher, you will accompany me."

The soldier, who had been following the others, except the member of the household guard, with his spear. This soldier took his place in the doorway. His back against the castle, so he could see both Antonius and what he might approach.

"Jupiter!" he exclaimed. Antonius, when the scribe had gone. The guard rolled his eyes at him, but said nothing.

"What is your name?" asked the Roman.

The man blinked, but did not reply. "Can you talk?" proceeded Antonius.

The guard fixed his eyes on a distant point, his chin elevated. The injured soldiers considered the situation. Then, stealthily, his hand stole under him, and moved beneath his robe. In his pocket he found a piece of gold, drawn from the little store that Ezra had left with him.

"See?" he said, enticingly. The guard lowered his gaze, and fixed it on the coin.

"Do you want it?" persisted Antonius.

The man began to move, slowly, toward his master. The Roman held the gold aloft, between his thumb and forefinger. Transferring his spear from his right hand to his left, the guard reached slowly for the coin.

"Don't be afraid," urged Antonius.

The man grabbed the money. Instantly his wrist was seized, and he was jerked sprawling into Antonius' arms. The spear went clattering against the wall. The Roman pressed him tight to his bosom, and lifted him in a roar:

"Gag him!" panted Antonius. The old soldier swayed downward from the ceiling, and running to the struggling pair, pressed his hands firmly over the guard's mouth, from which were issuing frantic bellowes.

"Gag him!" panted Antonius. In a few swift motions, Aaron closed his mouth, the guard's own head-dress. Then he tied him, true, his hands behind his back, and set him against the wall.

"Don't do that—roll him over on his face, cover him up, so he cannot see or hear," ordered the Roman.

The soldier obeyed. When he was done, he came to Antonius and lifted him in his arms, elevating him until the soldier could grasp the roof-pole. Aaron leaped, and drew himself into the hiding place in the roof. Then, reaching down his arms, he hauled Antonius after him.

Both were breathing heavily when they settled themselves in the straw that lined the cavity. Aaron shoved back the door of matted twigs.

They lay silent, waiting for developments below.

They lay silent for a few minutes until they could hear voices at the door. Aaron put out his hand, and moved Antonius' head a few inches to one side. The soldier's eye came to a peep-hole through the straw and grasses. He saw the messenger whom the scribe had sent. In a moment two more followed, and the soldier stretched in his straw bed.

The gauged and helpless guard was out of range of his vision, but Antonius grinned as the messenger gasped, and cried out.

There was a minute's flurry below, and then came another voice, evidently that of the guard whom Antonius had so roughly handled.

"The man has fled!" he cried. "He was a liar! His leg was not broken!"

Antonius gleefully nudged his companion.

"He seized me and held me," went on the guard indignantly, "and another man ran up behind me and stuffed my head-cloth in my mouth, and tied me with my own mantle."

"I'll call the officers," said the messenger.

Acute Bright's Disease and Bladder Trouble

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Something fell ker-thump!

her pink nose. "It isn't the long Summer vacation already is it?" "No, but to-day Daddicums is coming home from his visit to the Woggie-giegs in the bungleump," said Tooter. "We are going to stay away from school to welcome him home. You see we could."

"I did. I had forgotten," murmured Mrs. Longears. "Of course you may stay and welcome Daddicums Uncle Wiggily home. He will be here soon. Dear me! I must put on a clean dress and comb my fur. Nurse Jane, you do the same. Dear me! I had an idea Wiggily was coming home to-morrow! Now all little bunnies wash your paws and faces!"

"Oh, we're already!" cried Bumble.

"Look how clean I am!" shouted Stumble, and just then, true to his word, he fell down in a mud puddle and got all dirt.

"Yes! Just look at your paws now!" squeaked Nurse Jane. "A fine

night you are to welcome your daddy home!"

"I'll help him wash clean!" offered Baby Bunt who was a good little orphan rabbit, though sometimes she would play tricks on Uncle Wiggily.

While his family was getting ready to welcome him home, Mr. Longears was bidding good-bye to Boppie, Um and the Woggie-giegs in their bungleump. He had lived there for a time to help Boppie and Um unscramble the wooden children, and was going back for another visit later.

"It will be hard to be home again!" said Uncle Wiggily with a laugh as he hopped along the path through the woods. "I shall be glad to be with

all my little bunny boys and girls, and my wife and Nurse Jane. I shall have some new adventures, I hope."

"You needn't wait until you get back to us—adventure suddenly grows at wolf's lair the bushes and out popped the Bear. "I have an adventure right here for you!" went on the shaggy creature. "It is a nibbling adventure!" he chuckled.

"Thanks!" cried Uncle Wiggily. "I'll look at your adventure another time. Just now I am going to be welcomed home." And before the Bear could catch him in those big, sharp claws, the bunny rabbit gave a hop, skip and a jump and ran so fast the bad chap couldn't get him.

Faster and faster Uncle Wiggily ran through the woods until at last, in front of him, he saw his own hollow stump bungalow. Out in front was his wife, Nurse Jane, Baby Bunt and all the little bunny boys and girls.

"Welcome home, Daddicums!" cried Scooter.

"We're glad you came back to us!" shouted Jingle.

"And will you take us all adventuring 'cause we didn't have to go to school to-day?" asked Jangle.

"Oh, we shall have some jolly times!" cried Uncle Wiggily, as he kissed his wife, shook paws with Nurse Jane and then tried to hug

all the forty 'even little bunnies at once as they crowded with him through the doorway of the bungalow.

Then, all of a sudden, just as Mr. Longears was entering the open door, something funny ker-thumped and banged him so hard on the head that he tumbled down with a big lumpy swelling over his right eye.

"Oh, did the Bear do that?" murmured Uncle Wiggily. "Did he hit me with a club?"

"Oh, no! Dear me! What an accident!" squeaked Nurse Jane.

"What hit you was a big vase of May flowers that Baby Bunt gathered and put on the top ledge over the

door. It must have jarred loose and fell down to hit you. Oh, how sad!"

"Well, something hit me all right!" chuckled Mr. Longears looking at the broken vase, the splattered water and the scattered flowers. "But it didn't hurt much," he added as he bent over and Baby Bunt looked.

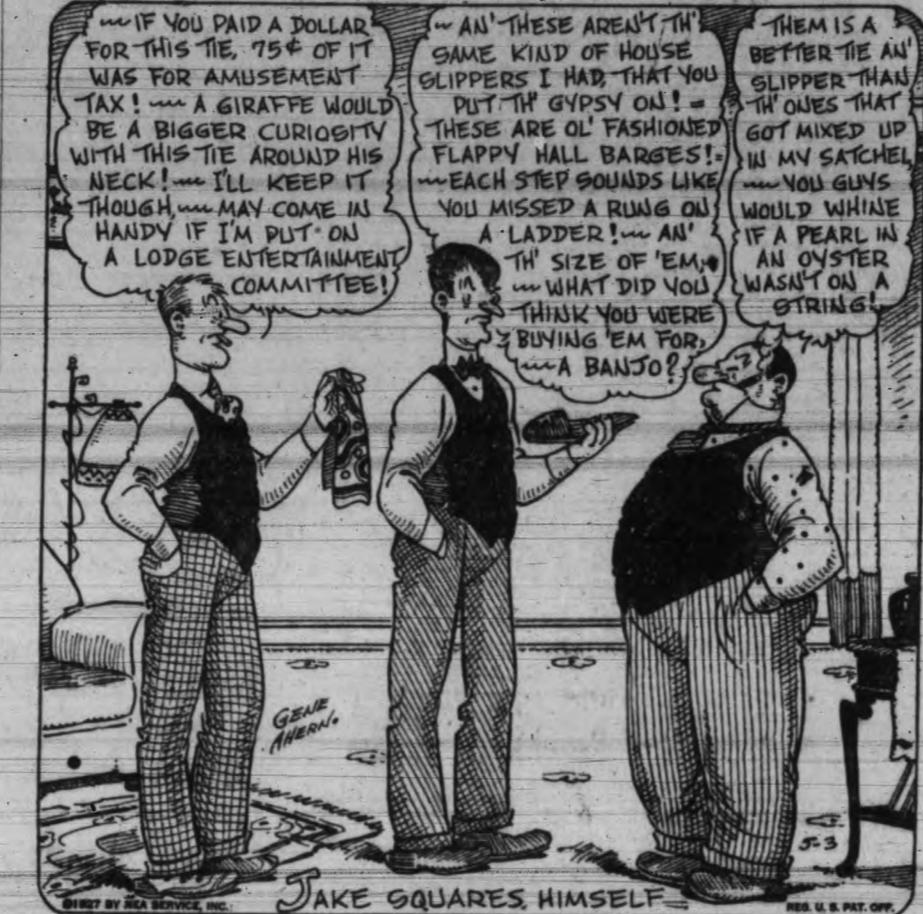
"I'm all right. It was a jolly welcome home! Hurrah!"

Chicago, May 2 — A man believed to be a Chicago bootlegger, driving a cargo of liquor from Windsor, Ontario, shot and killed a state highway policeman who sought to search the contraband automobile near Sturgis, Mich. Sunday. Sam Mates, the policeman, was shot with his pistol. He was taken to a hospital, but died.

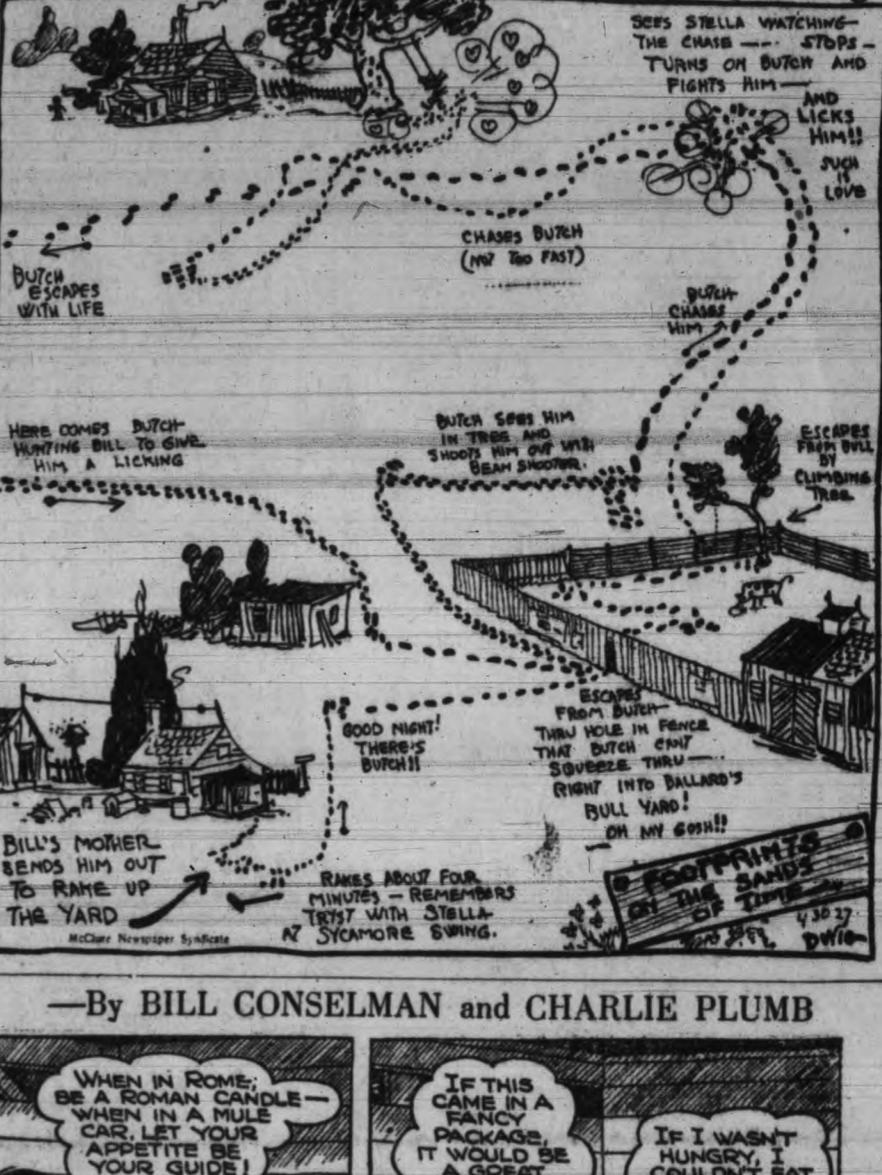
The killer's automobile bore Illinois license plates, witnesses said, and after the shooting the driver started toward Chicago at high speed.

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FINANCIAL — STOCKS — GRAIN — BONDS — MARKETS

Wall Street TO-DAY

Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, May 2 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Some heavy selling was indulged in early, but strong spots made their appearance such as Chicago Great Western common and preferred; General Motors followed by covering in the oil shares and in the late dealing, and the best levels were recorded. The demand for Chicago Great Western issues was credited to active buying for control.

General Motors reflected talk that the finance committee may recommend the declaration of an extra dividend to its board of directors when they meet this afternoon. This news, generally, was mixed, the small orders came both showed favorable price figures for April. Anaconda earnings for 1926 were lower, and Colorado Fuel reported a favorable document.

Oil news was distinctly favorable, both the California Oil production figures and the Seminole field's production showed an increase in fact the seminole figures reached record levels. The market reaction suggests that sentiment is very much mixed. Rallies, except in a way few specialties, are not very vigorous, and due chiefly to short covering. We doubt if a forward move will get underway at this particular time.

New York, April 2 (By B.C. Bond Corporation's direct Wall Street wire)—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says:

Having left for the week-end in a bearish frame of mind, professional operators opened the new session on the Stock Exchange with a vigorous drive on the principal speculative stocks. The attack was based on the belief that action of the market last week suggested that existence reaction was imminent. Many commission houses expressed the same opinion in letters to their clients over Sunday.

In conjunction with the serious character of the flood news, the advances induced considerable profit-taking in the early dealings. U.S. Steel was forced to new low ground on the reaction, and other pivotal issues were subjected to severe pressure.

But the way offerings were absorbed demonstrated that no important change in the business situation had occurred. Instead of forcing large amounts of stock into the market, prices resisted selling.

Failure of the flood conditions to lose their menacing aspect over the week-end brought large selling orders from interior points at the start of the new week. These offerings immediately gave way to the general list in the early dealings and prices in active issues were generally lower.

Egg Market

Ottawa, May 2—Montreal extras, 31c and 33c; firsts 29c and 31c; seconds 26c and 28c.

Winnipeg—Extras 28c; firsts 26c; seconds 22c.

Edmonton—Extras 25c; firsts 23c; seconds 20c.

Montreal, May 2—Eggs firm; butter and cheese, weak.

Cheese—Finest Western 15c and 15 1/4c.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN
RICHARDSON.—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, in Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Richardson, 2713 Somas Drive, Oak Bay, on April 30, a son.DIED
SYLVESTER.—At St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, B.C., on Saturday, April 30, 1927. John Edward Sylvester, 62, of Oak Bay. Wife, Elsie (Betty), the only beloved child of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie P. Sylvester, 1418 Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C., died 2 years and 6 months.

Funeral to take place from the R.C. Funeral Parlors on Tuesday at 3:30 o'clock. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park. Rest in Peace.

IN MEMORIAM
MARTYN.—In loving memory of Dad, Henry Martyn, died May 2, 1925.

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AT the Royal Victoria Theatre on Friday, May 6, the Kiwanis Club presents the Players Club of the University of British Columbia's production of "The Romantic Young Lady," comedy in three acts. Tickets \$2.50. 11½ hours. Price, 25¢. Dollar and dollar and a half tickets may be obtained at The Times Office.

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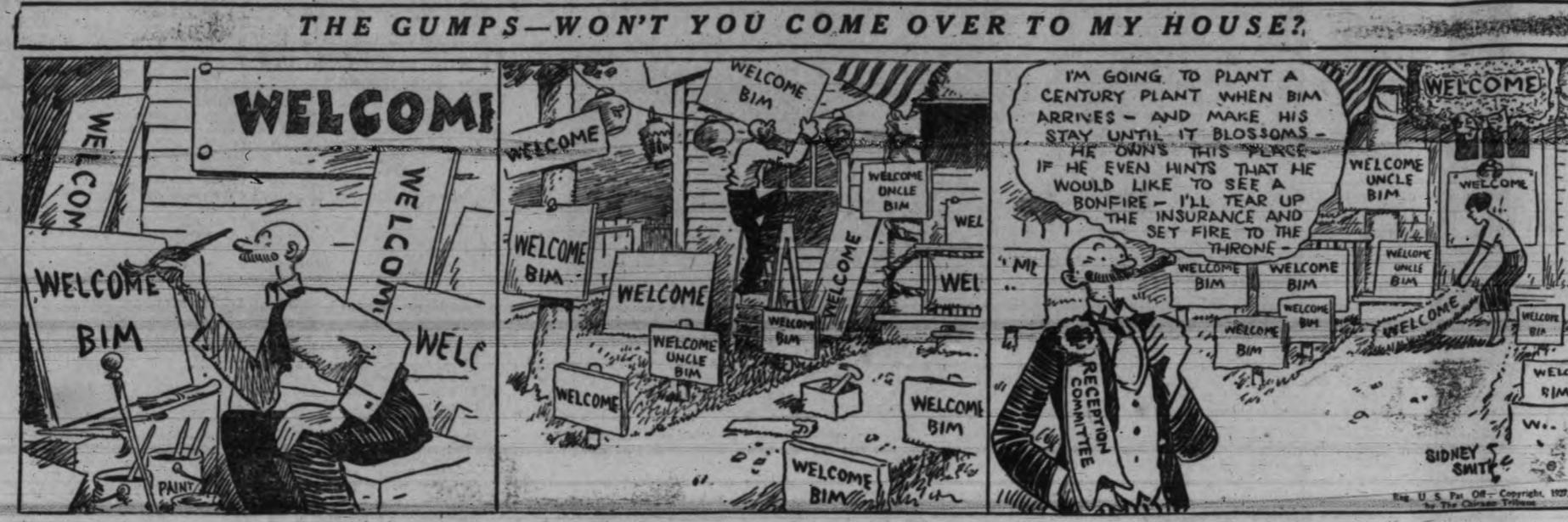
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TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the estate of Catherine Brown, who died on or about the 26th day of November, 1916, at the City of Victoria, are hereby required to file with the administrator letter post full particulars of their claims, duly verified, on or before the 1st day of June, 1927, to the Royal Trust Company, Belmont House, Victoria, B.C. The administrator of the estate of the said deceased, after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 20th day of April, A.D. 1927.

A. D. MACFARLANE, Solicitor for the Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of William Brown, Deceased

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims against the above Estate are required to declare or send by prepaid letter post full particulars of their claims, duly verified, addressed to A. D. Macfarlane, solicitor for Mary Lucas and Thomas Ashe, the executors, at 209 Thomas Building, Victoria, B.C., or before the 31st day of May, 1927, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

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KRCF (268) San Francisco, Cal. 6:30 p.m. Jo Mendel and his Pep band of the Lido Cafe.

6:45 p.m. Stage and screen and police reports.

6:50 p.m. Cecilian trio.

6:55 p.m. "Time signals" from KFCY.

7:00 p.m. "Blue Monday Jamboree"; 7:15 p.m. Eddie Harkness' Marx Hopkin dance orchestra.

7:30 p.m. Portland Bills' children's programme.

7:45 p.m. "Portland Bills" children's programme.

7:55 p.m. "Time signals" from KFCY.

8:00 p.m. "Time signals" from KFCY.

8:15 p.m. "Blue Monday Jamboree"; 8:30 p.m. Eddie Harkness' Marx Hopkin dance orchestra.

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9:00 p.m. "Blue Monday Jamboree"; 9:15 p.m. Eddie Harkness' Marx Hopkin dance orchestra.

9:30 p.m. "Time signals" from KFCY.

9:45 p.m. "Blue Monday Jamboree"; 10:00 p.m. Eddie Harkness' Marx Hopkin dance orchestra.

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TOLMIE WILL HOLD LEADERSHIP HERE, HE TELLS FRIENDS

Rumors of His Intended Retirement Baseless, He Says in Islands Speech

Colonel Peck Renominated For Gulf Constituency Without Opposition

Hon. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative Party Leader in British Columbia, returned here over the week-end with the declaration that he intended to remain as leader.

Addressing the Conservative convention, which renominated Colonel Cyrus Peck, V.C., for The Islands, at Ganges, Saturday, Dr. Tolmie declared: "Despite all reports to the contrary, I have no least intention of retiring from the leadership of the Conservative Party in British Columbia. If that is not strong enough I'll make it even stronger. Having accepted the leadership from those 500 delegates at the Kamloops convention I will stay with it to the last ditch. There is no subterfuge about it."

PECK RENOMINATED

Col. Peck, the present member of the legislature for The Islands, was the only name placed before the convention. He was proposed by Spencer Percival of Pender Island, who praised his work in the House. W. Miller Higgs of Galiano Island seconded the nomination.

Col. Peck declared he was particularly gratified to be nominated for The Islands as the riding was peculiarly independent, and voted as it pleased.

NEED IS DEVELOPMENT

Dr. Tolmie told the delegates that British Columbia is not making the most of its great natural wealth. While urging economy in government, he favored a policy which would open up the country as rapidly as possible.

C. H. Dickie, M.P. for Nanaimo, predicted an easy victory for Col. Peck in The Islands, and expressed the hope that the next provincial election would come soon.

CELEBRATE COMING OF EXPLORER WITH BLAZING BEACONS

Vast Throng Watches Pillar of Fire Rise to Commemorate Historic Date

Answering Beacon Flashes Across Straits of Juan De Fuca From Dungeness

Two great pillars of fire blazed a signal on either side of the Straits of Juan de Fuca on Saturday evening at 9 o'clock, when Victoria and Dungeness simultaneously celebrated the anniversary of Captain George Vancouver's coming to these waters. Incidentally, the beacon fires at Flinlayson Point and on the Dungeness shore, were after the fashion of a greeting, since they were lighted in celebration of the date which foretold a century and a half of peaceful international progress.

As the flames of the great torch built below Beacon Hill leapt into the night, a tiny pin-point of light appeared suddenly from across the straits—the Dungeness beacons was answering from twenty miles across the water.

DUNGENESS SEEN

The beacon at Dungeness was discernible from across the Victoria straits as fire was lighted.

Mrs. H. E. Barkley, wife of Captain Barkley, whose great-grandfather gave his name to Barkley Sound, held the torch which ignited the beacon.

Captain Barkley, who was introduced by W. H. Kinsman, Chief Factor of Post No. 10, the Native Sons of British Columbia, spoke briefly to the gathering while the beacon was burning. He congratulated those responsible for the success of the ceremony. It afforded him a moment of pride, he said, to be called upon at a time like this, not for himself, but for the memory of his progenitor, another Captain Barkley of Captain Vancouver's generation.

CROWD CHEER

Captain Barkley called for three cheers for C. G. Pemberton, with whom the idea for the ceremony originated, and in whose hands the responsibility for the affair rested.

The crowd cheered lustily. Called upon to cheer for Captain Barkley, the throng again responded. Mrs. Barkley's name was honored at the same time. Finally, they cheered the members of the committee which had assisted in the planning and building of the beacon.

While the flames of the beacon were brilliantly lighting the shoreline, Mr. Pemberton caused a telegram to be sent to Mayor Feal of Port Angeles. It read: "Peace greet you. Fire. Hope you saw ours."

Representing the B.C. Historical Society and the Chamber of Commerce at the ceremony was Mr. Pemberton; other members of the committee present included H. W. Creelman, president of the Native Sons of Canada; Mr. Kinsman of the Native Sons of British Columbia; F. W.

Landlady—"What's wrong sir? Isn't it a good chicken?" Boarder—"Morally I don't doubt it is unimpeachable, but physically it's a wreck."

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Meanwhile Aged People File Applications For Aid Under New Scheme

eral Governments in the near future as a result of steps taken at the Parliament Buildings.

Informed officially of this

Province's desire to enforce the

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pension legislation here, the Federal

Department of Labor will submit to

the Provincial authorities a definite

agreement covering the pension

plan. This understanding will be

negotiated almost immediately, it is

expected at the Parliament Build-

ings, but when pensions will be ac-

cepted is uncertain yet.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

Definite arrangements for the

payment of old-age pensions in

British Columbia will be made

between the Provincial and Fed-

eral Governments in the near

future as a result of steps taken

at the Parliament Buildings.

How many people in this Province

are entitled to pensions cannot be

estimated accurately yet, but it is

expected some hundreds will be af-

fected. In other places where old-

age pensions are in force the au-

thorities have found that about 10

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